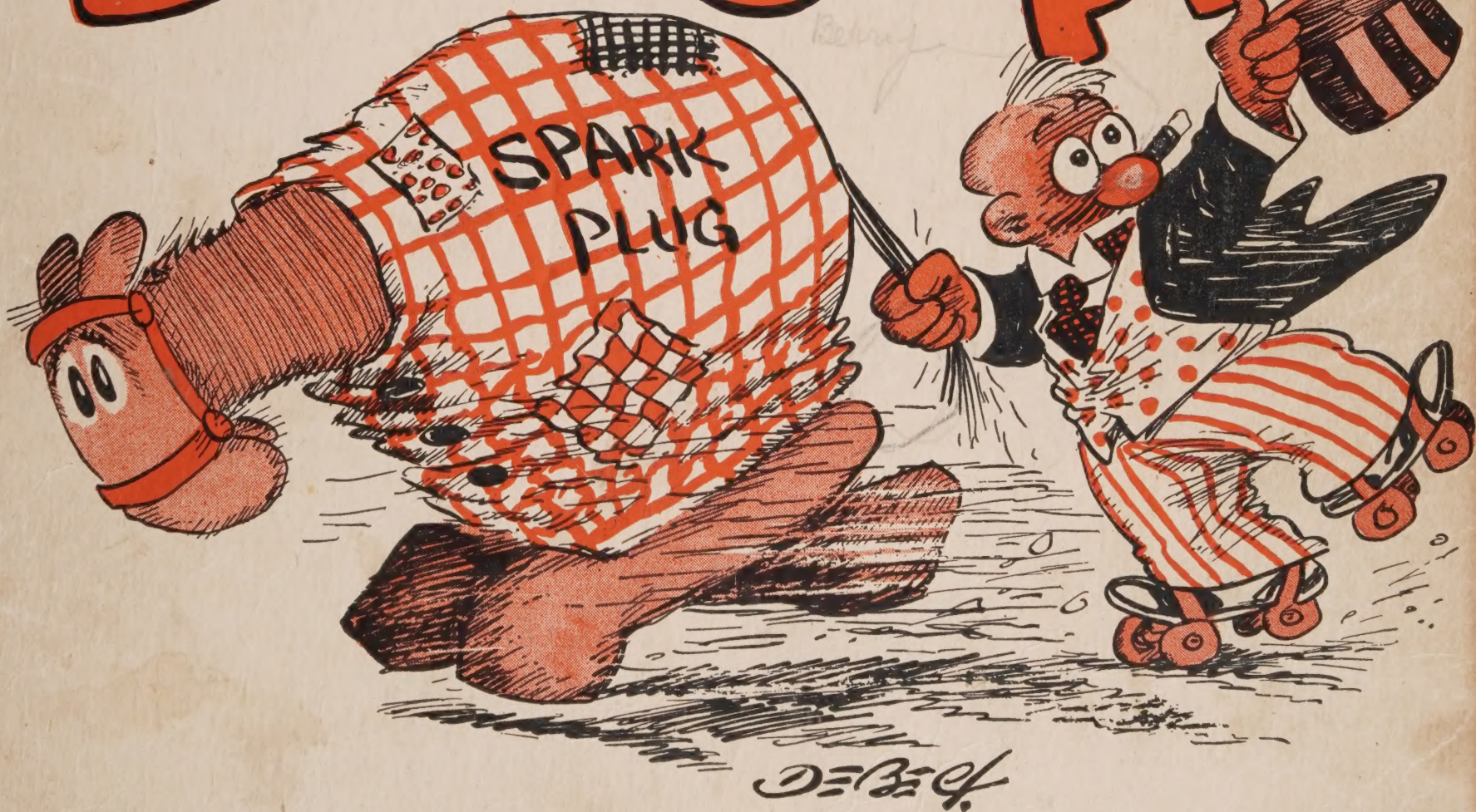


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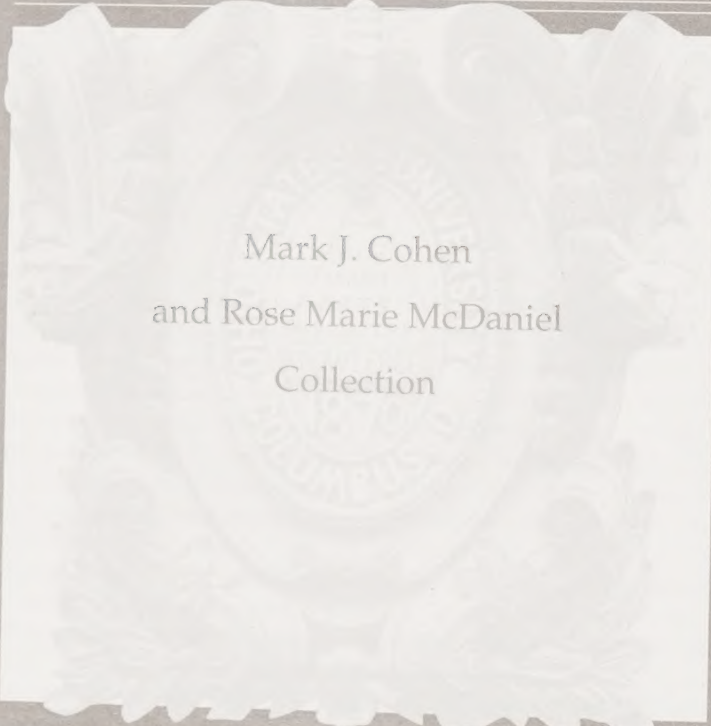
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## FOREWORD

**I**N permitting my friend Barney Google to step from the pages of newspapers into this impressive-looking book, I want to apologize for him. He isn't much to look at. He's a born low-brow. He'd rather be with a stable-boy than with an emperor. And he's thoroughly irresponsible.

But he isn't bad at heart. He is devoted to his wife. When the Sweet Woman gets on his nerves, he simply packs up and beats it. But he loves her just the same. And he always sees to it that, no matter how far away he is, she is well provided for. The further away he is, the more she gets.

And his feelings for Spark Plug—well, they change from time to time. When Spark Plug wins a race, Barney loves him like a brother. But when Sparky loses, Barney always figures out how much he could get for him at a glue factory.

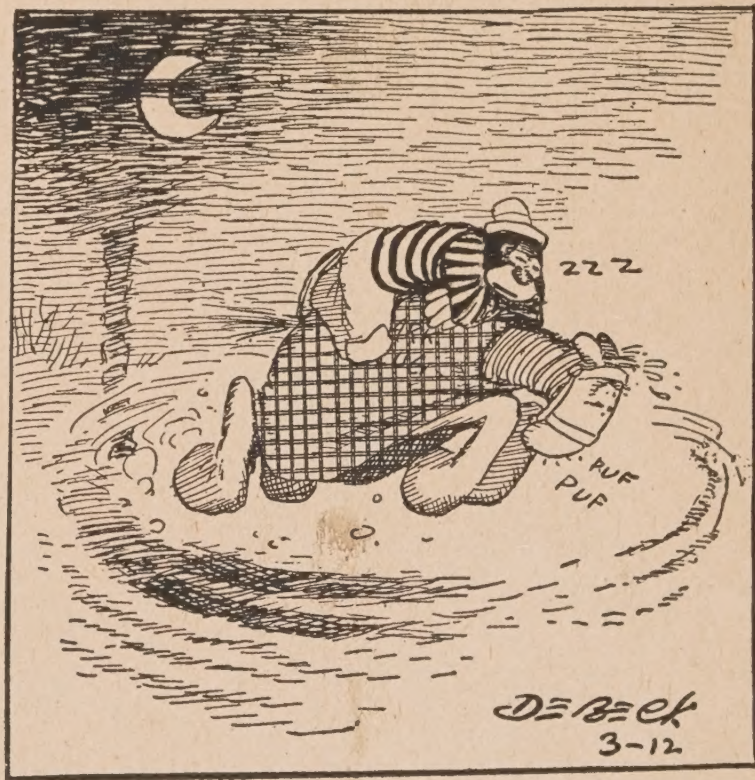
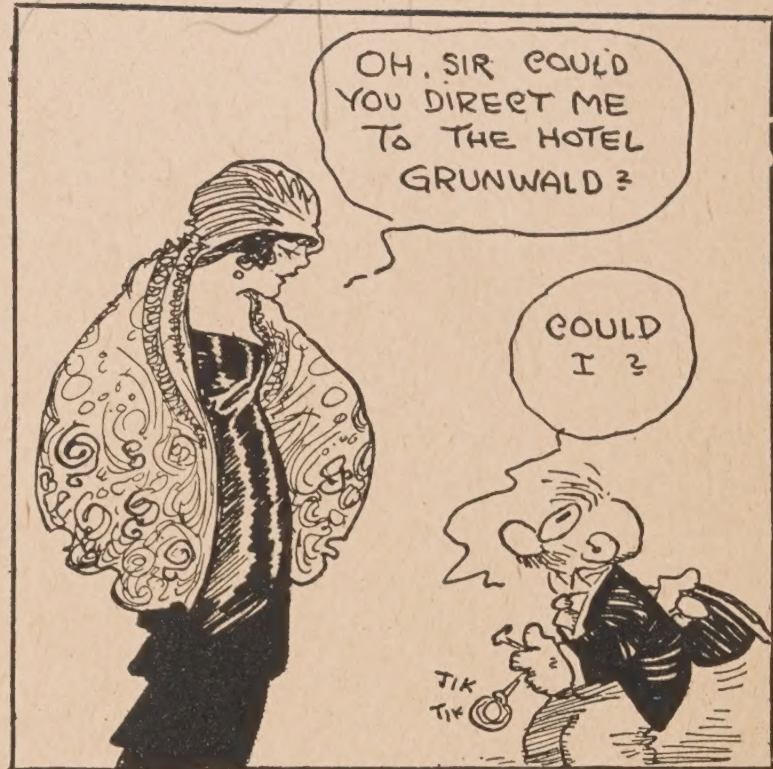
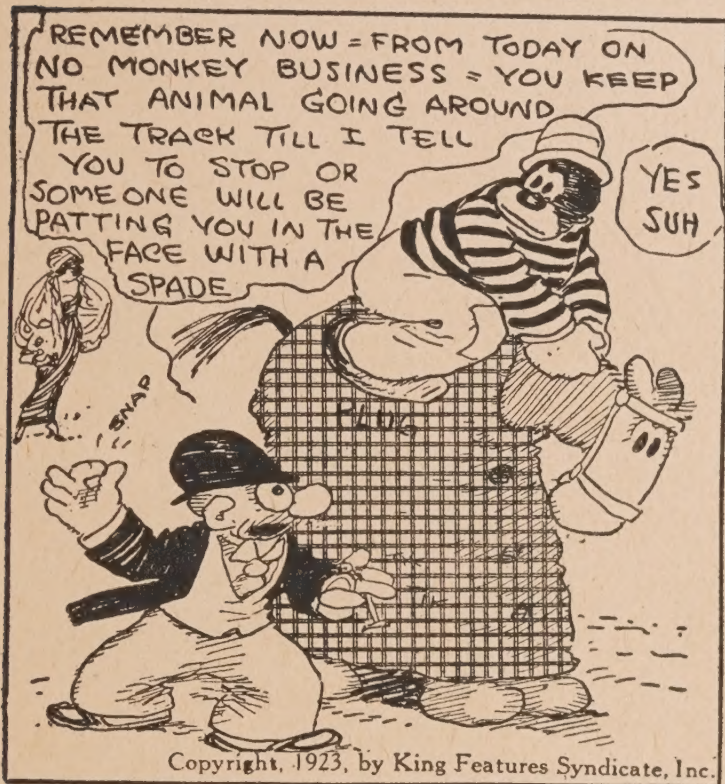
I hope you will like Barney and his horse. You will find that Barney, with all his faults and weaknesses, is human, like the rest of us. And you've simply got to like Spark Plug.

If their adventures please you and if you tell me you would like to know more of them, I'll get out other books. Anyway, please accept my thanks for having taken this one.

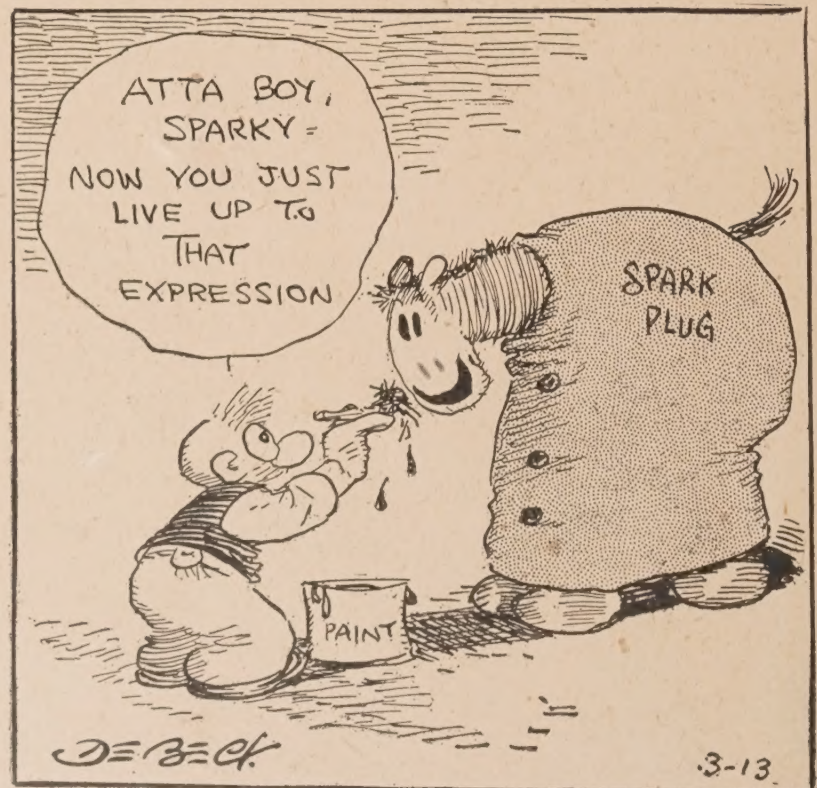
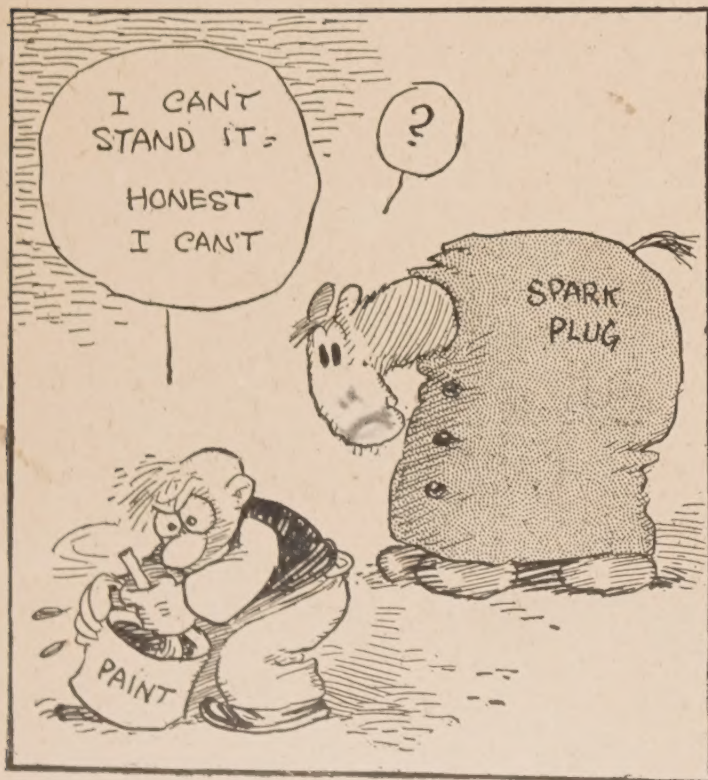
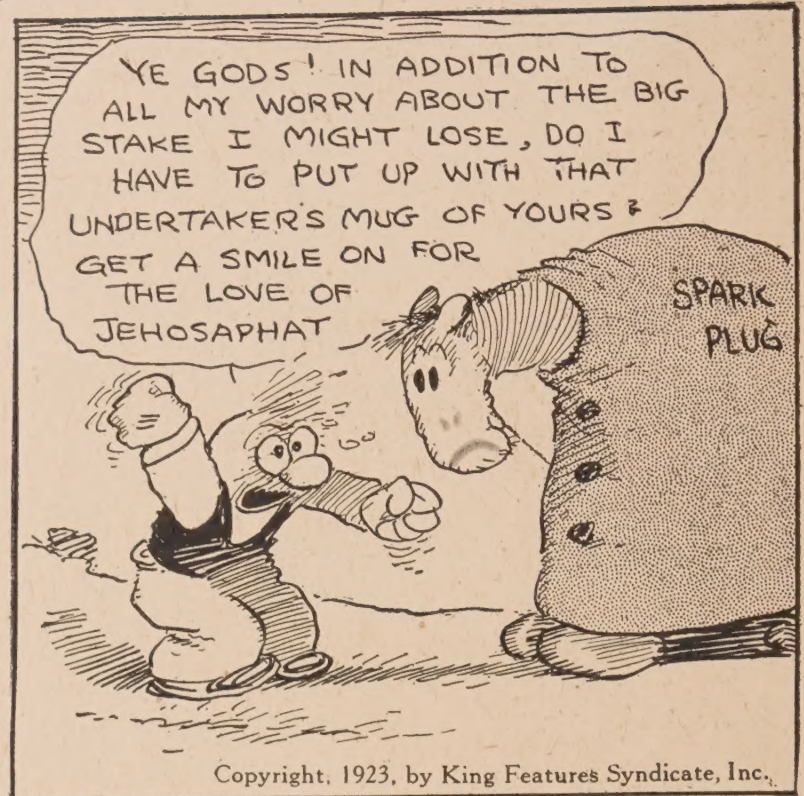
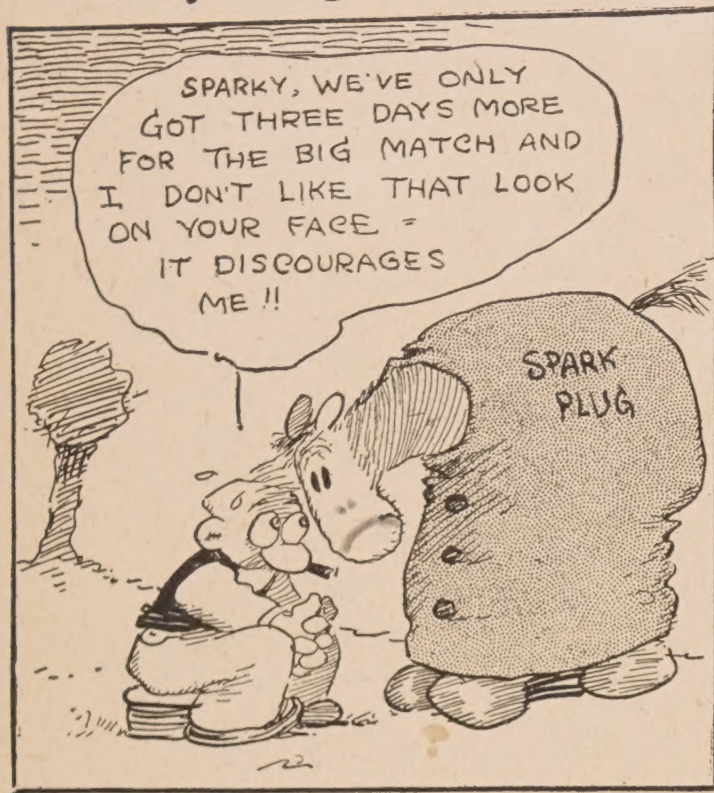
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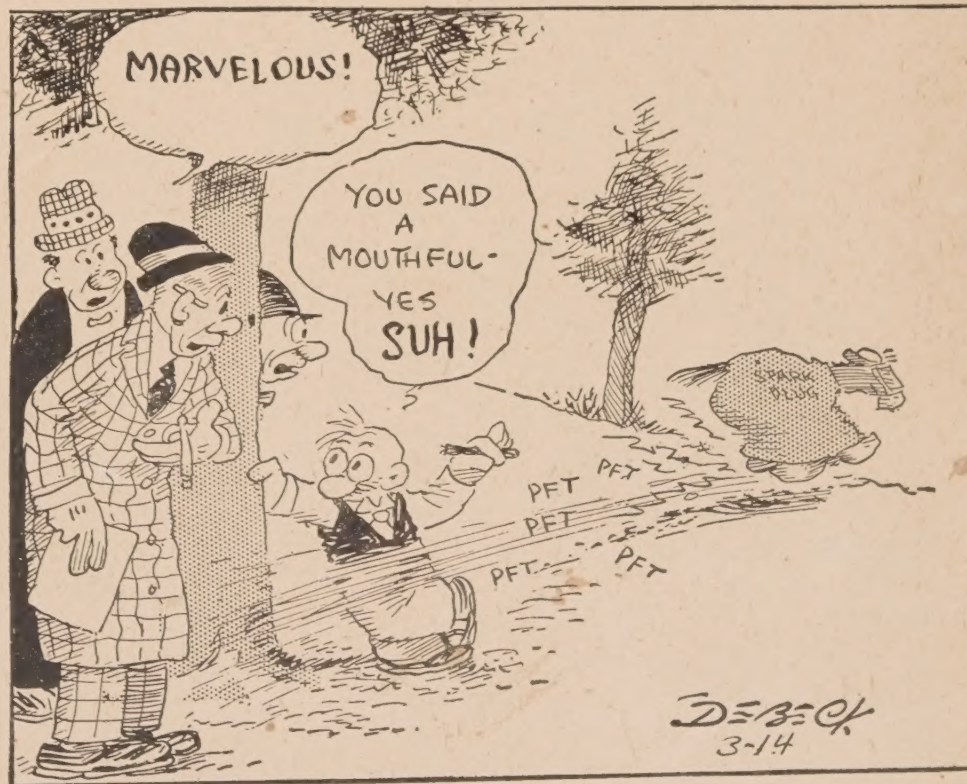
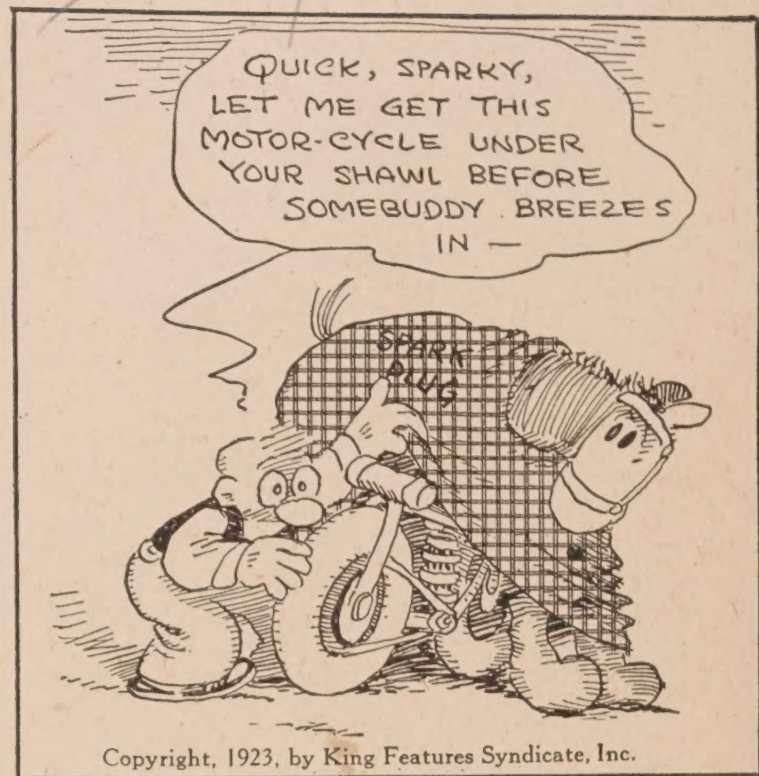
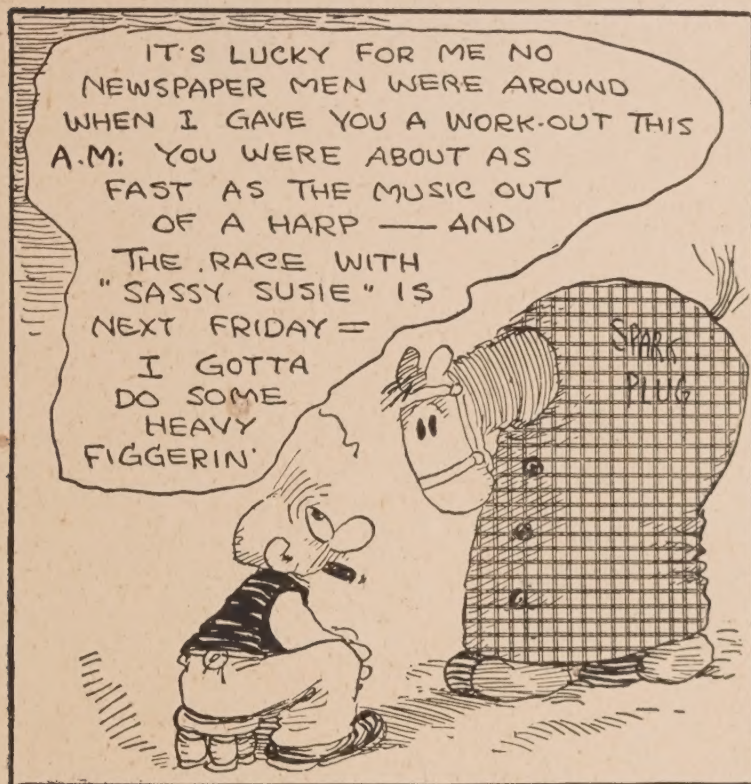
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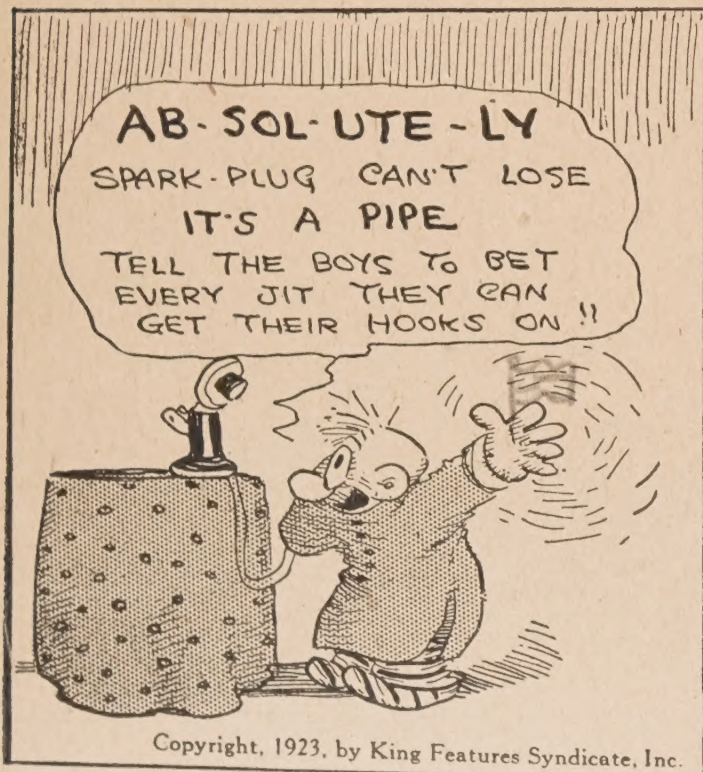
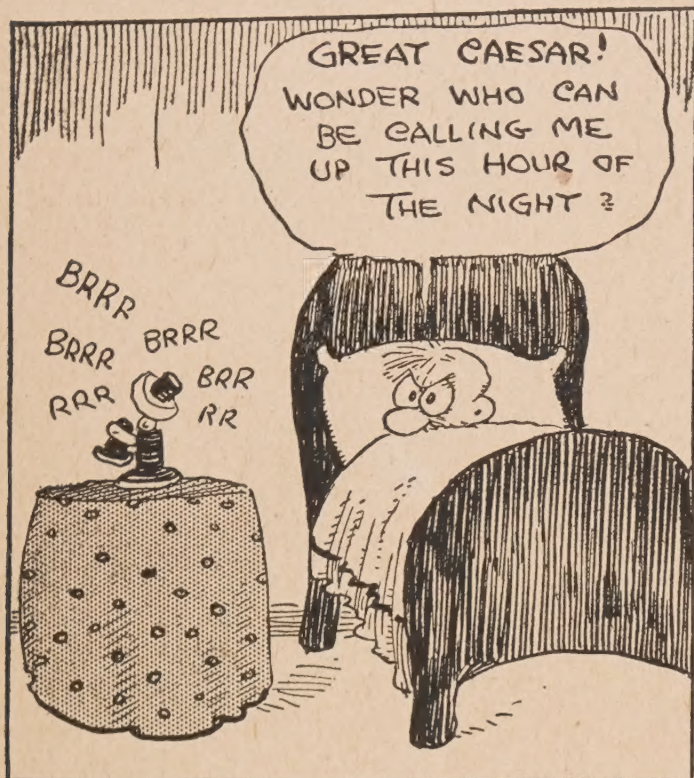


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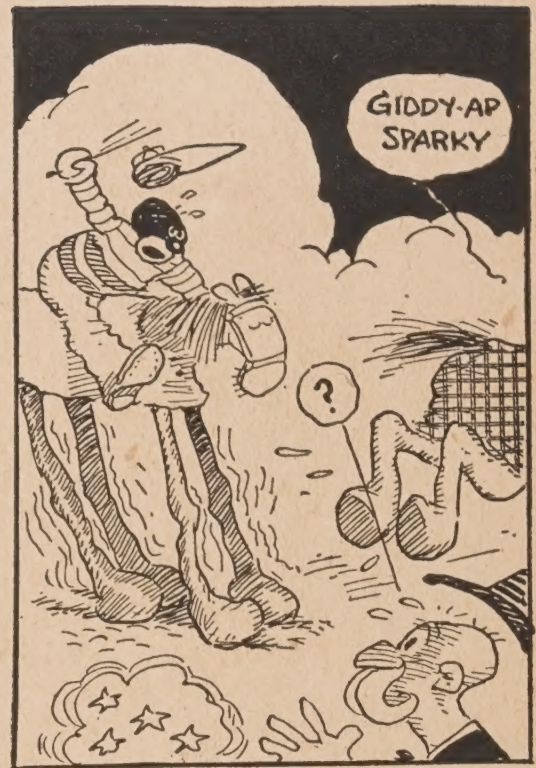




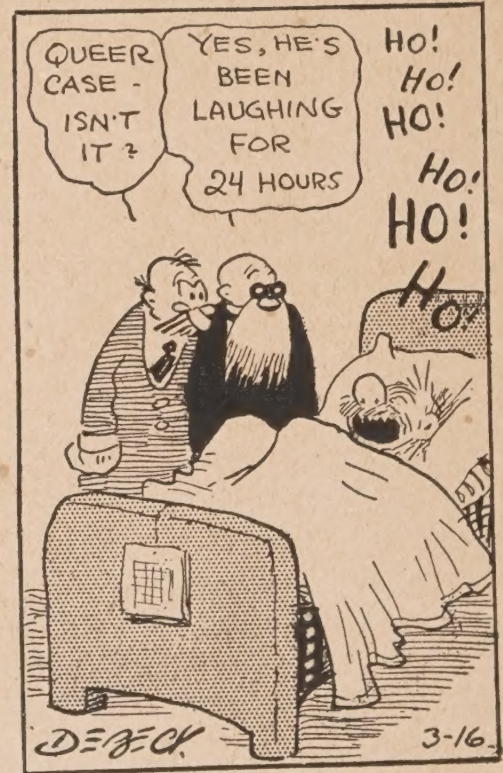
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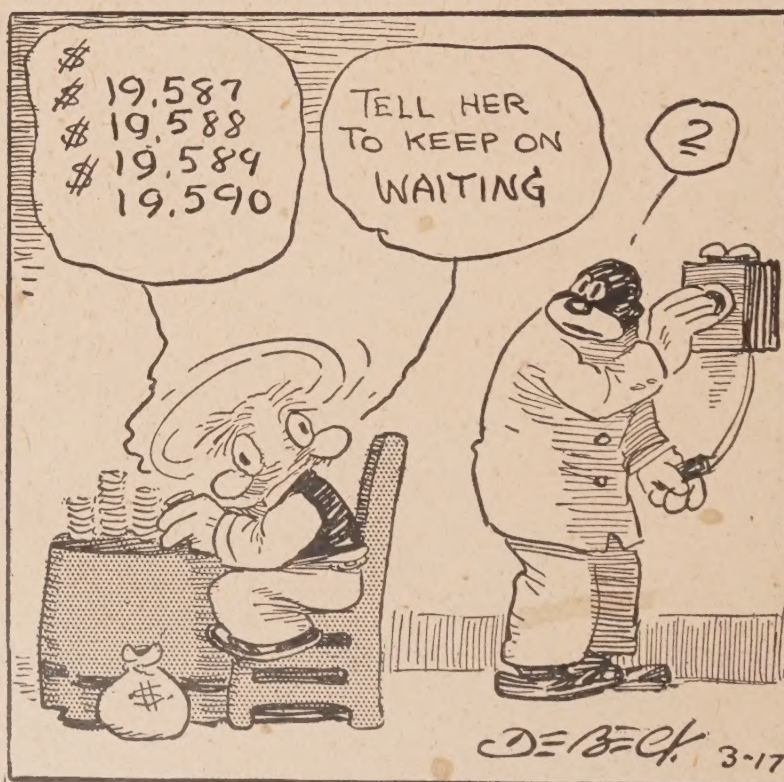
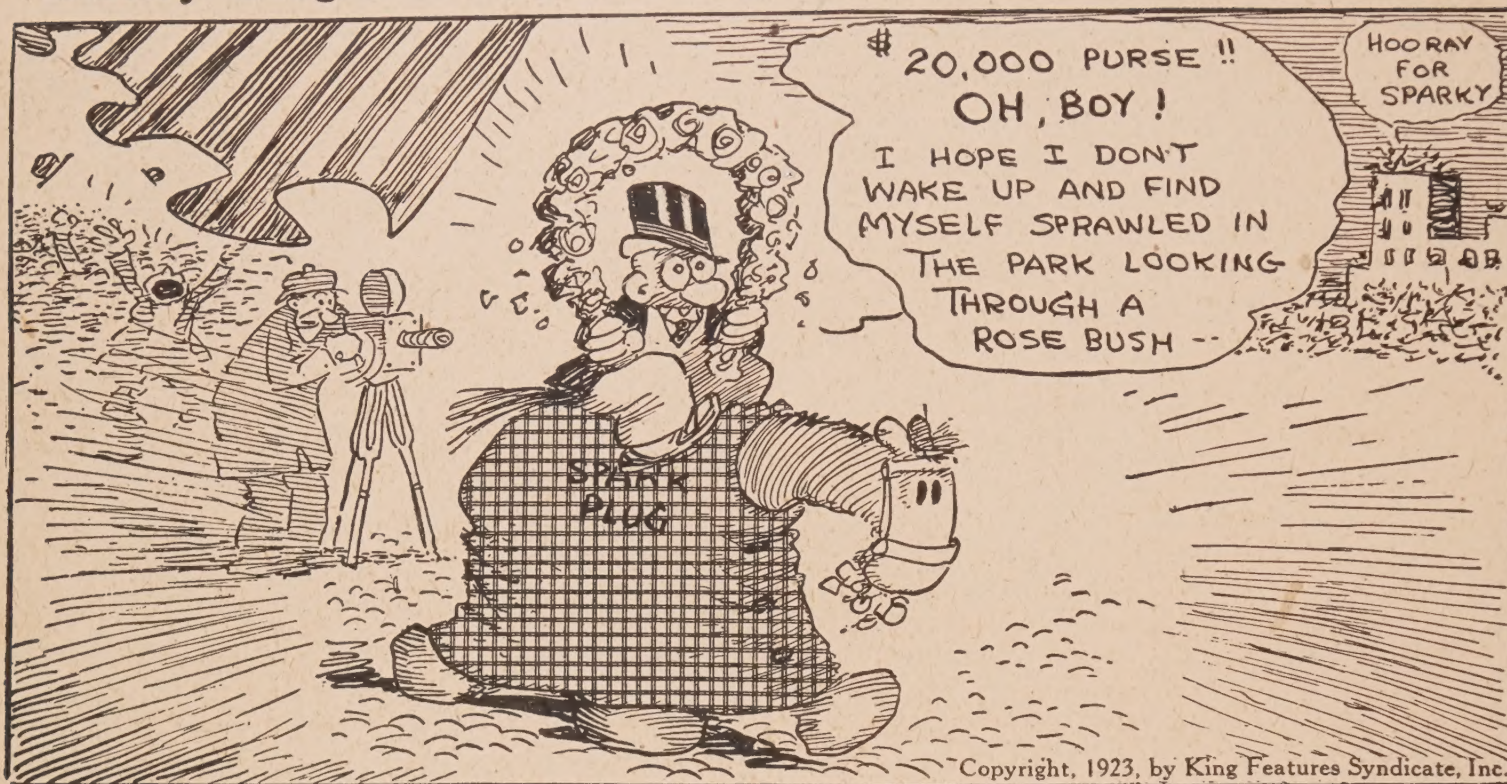


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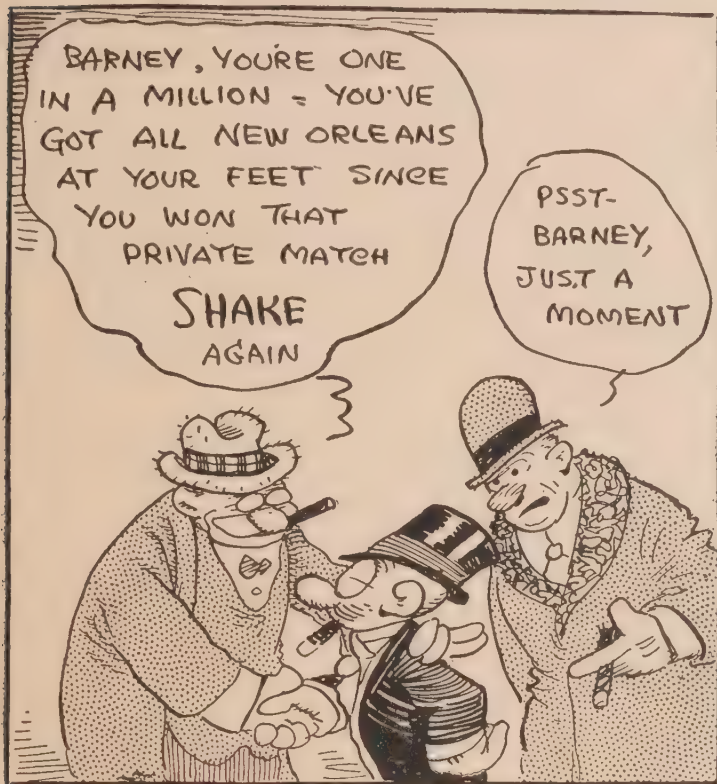


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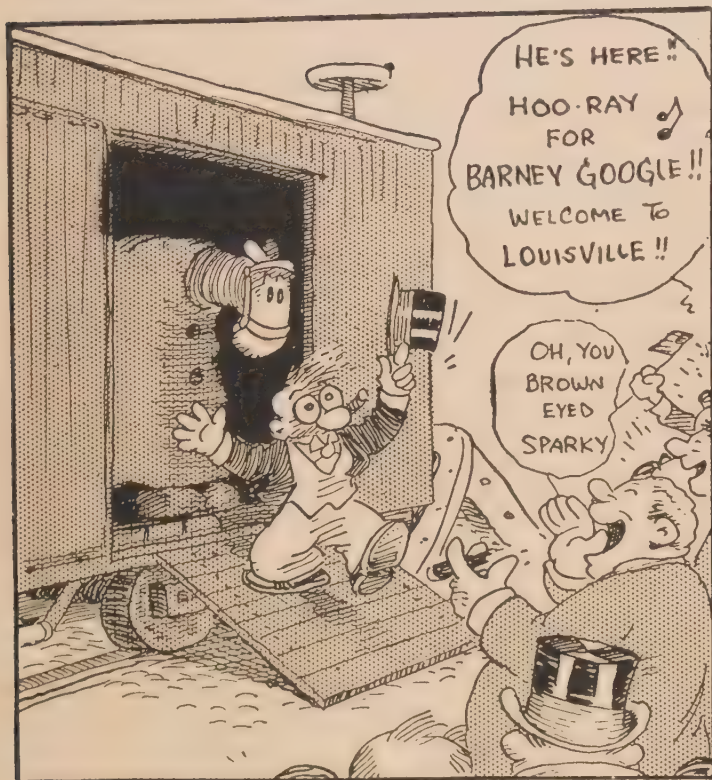
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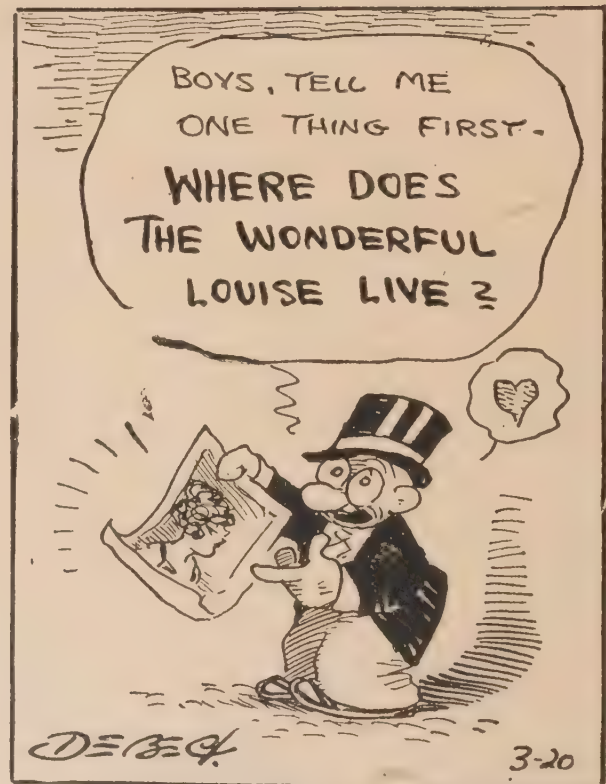
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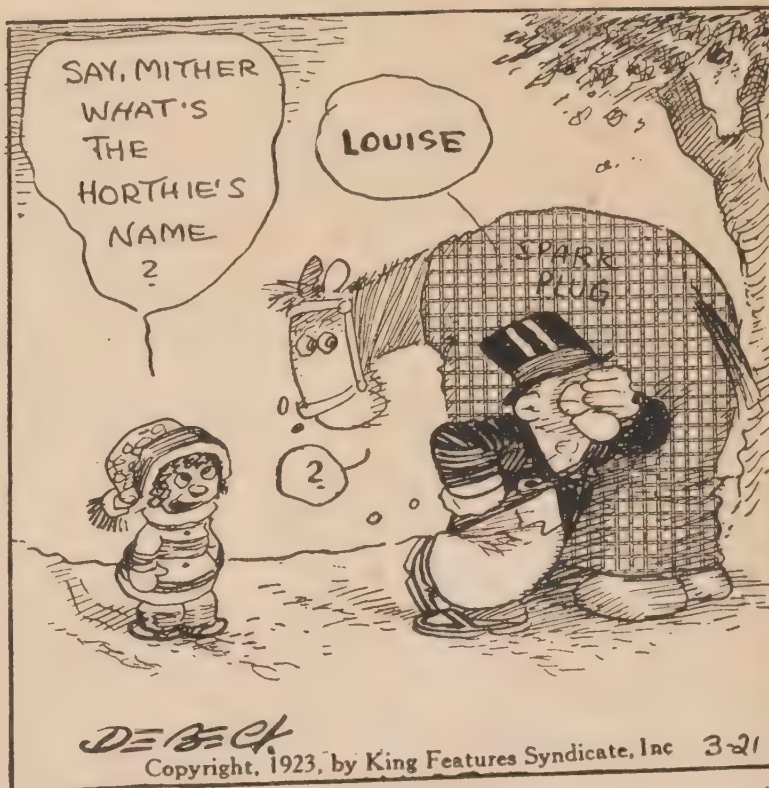
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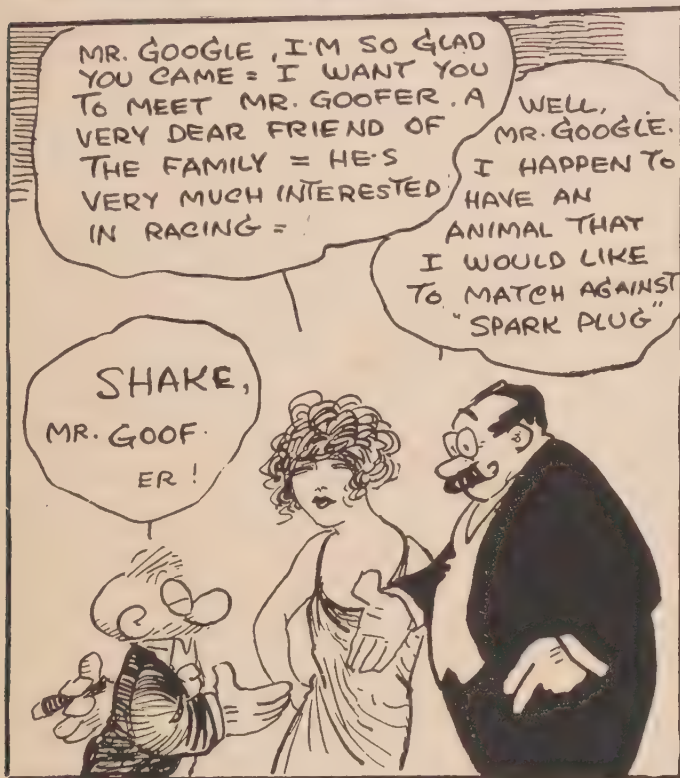
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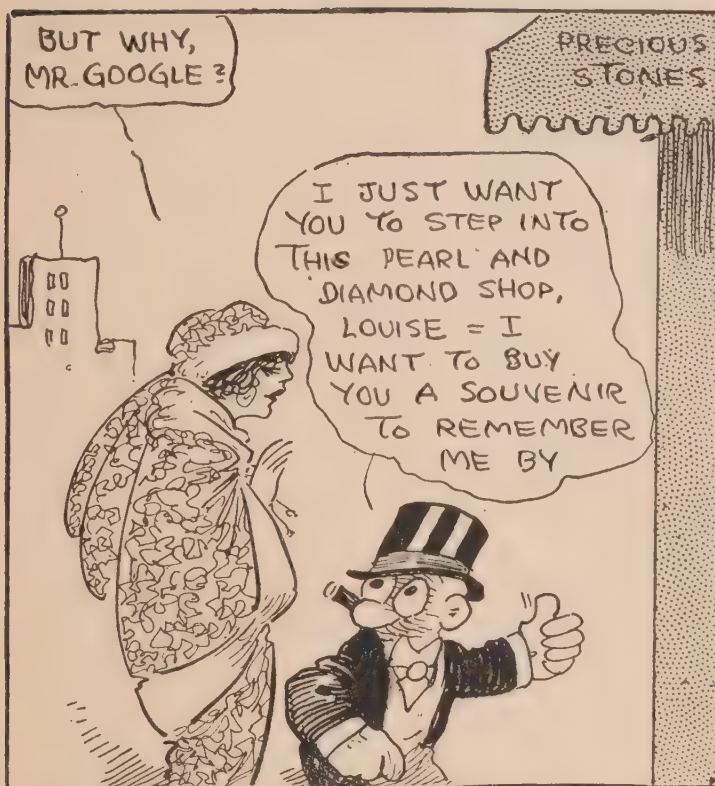
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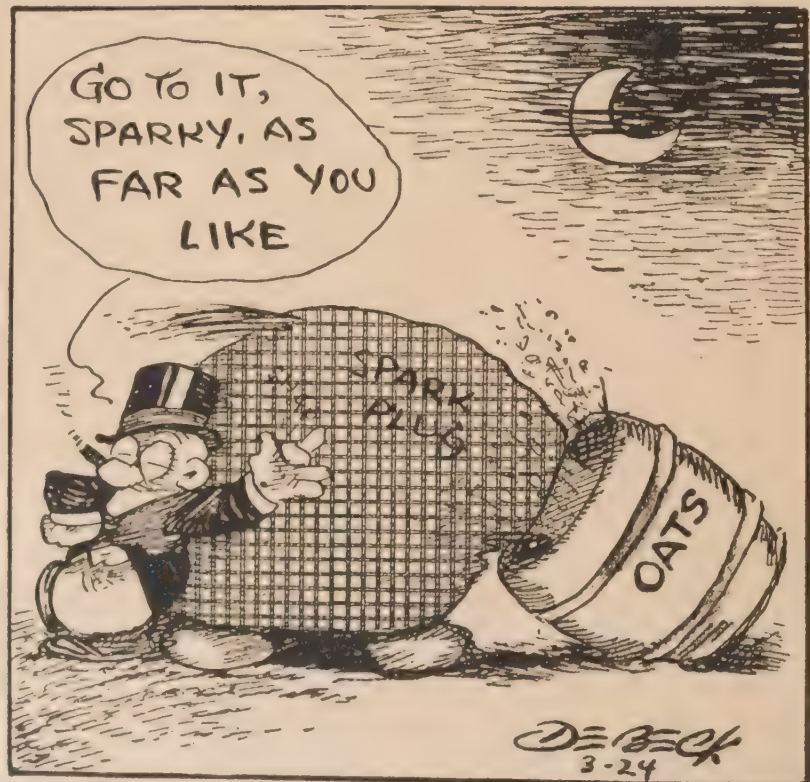
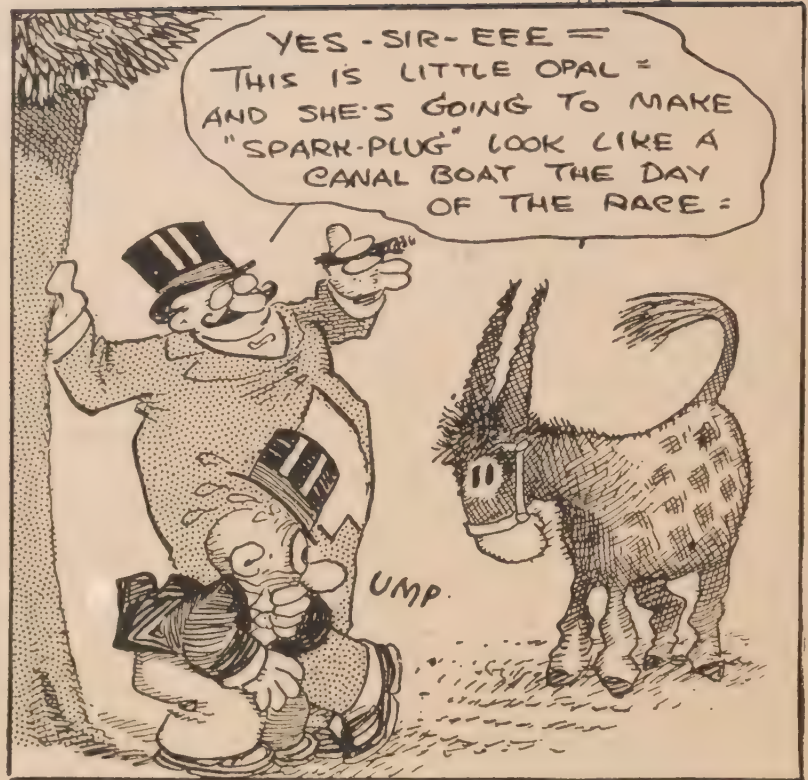
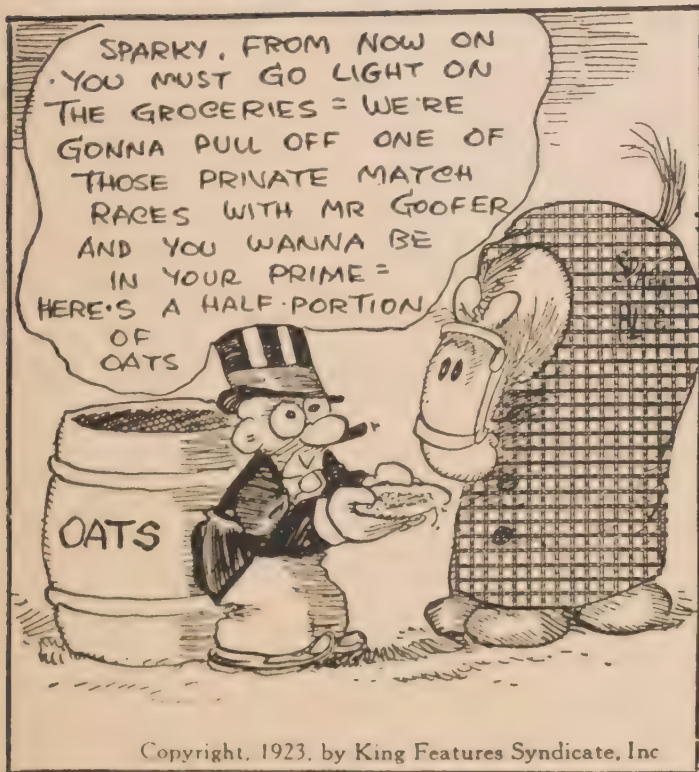
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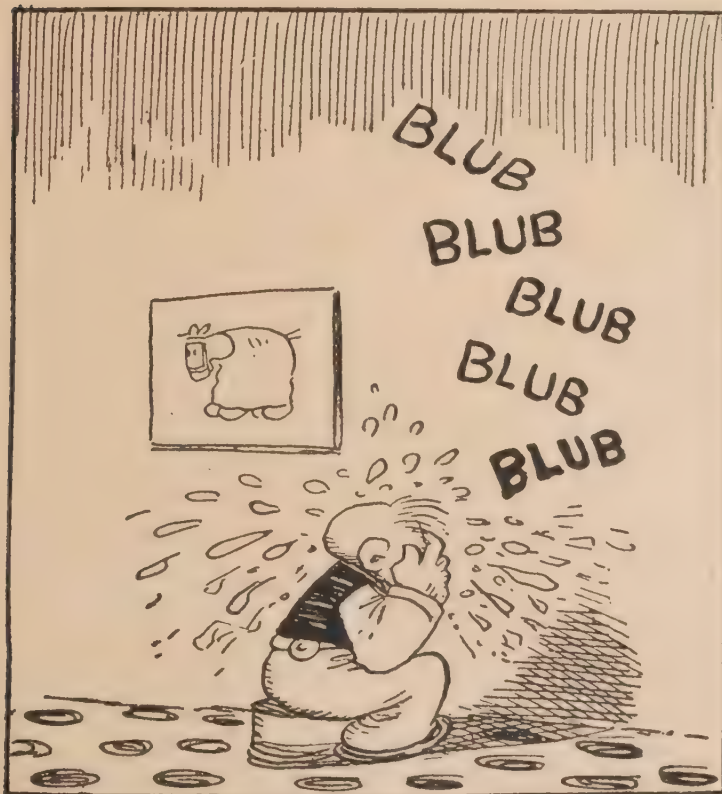
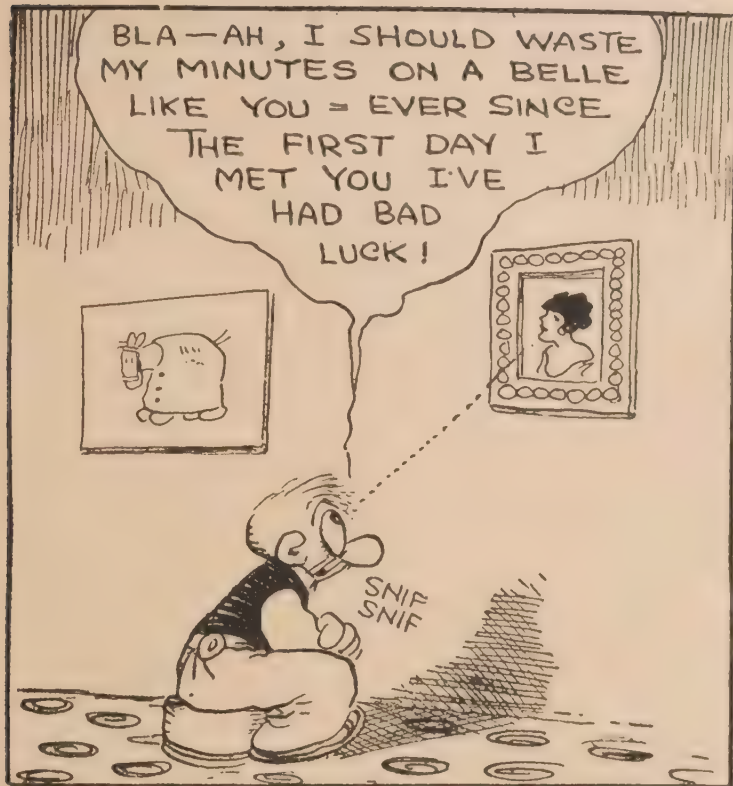


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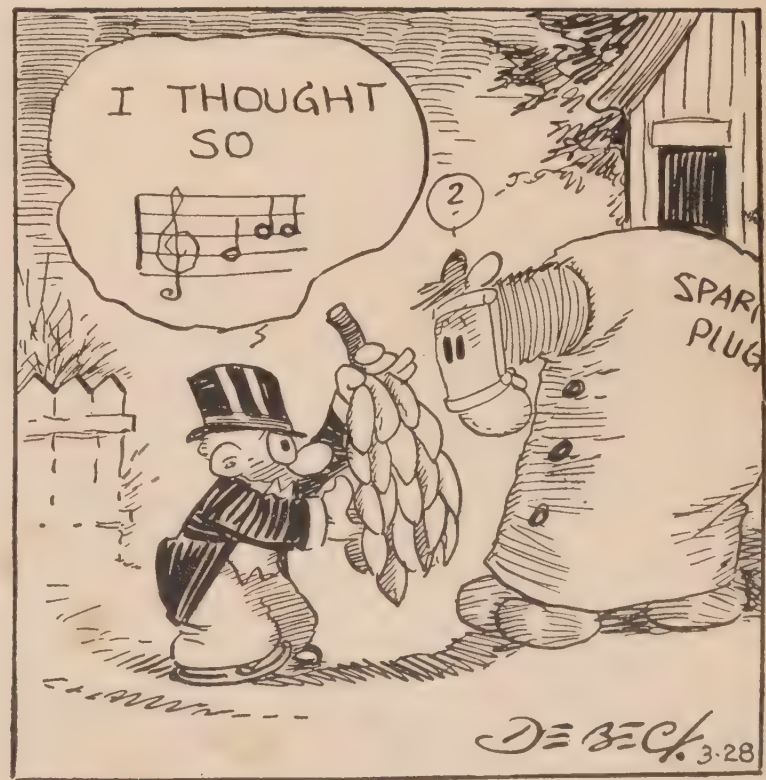
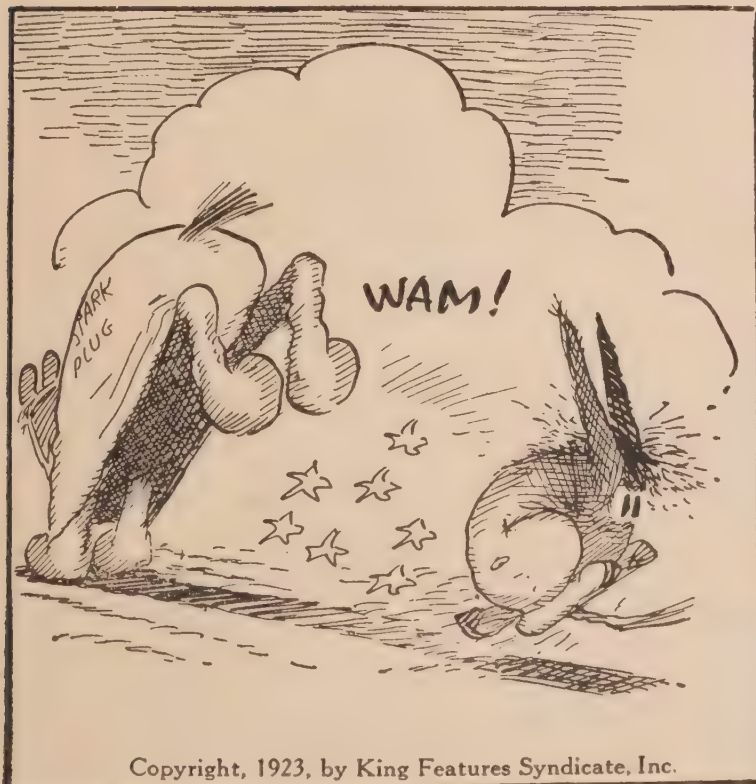
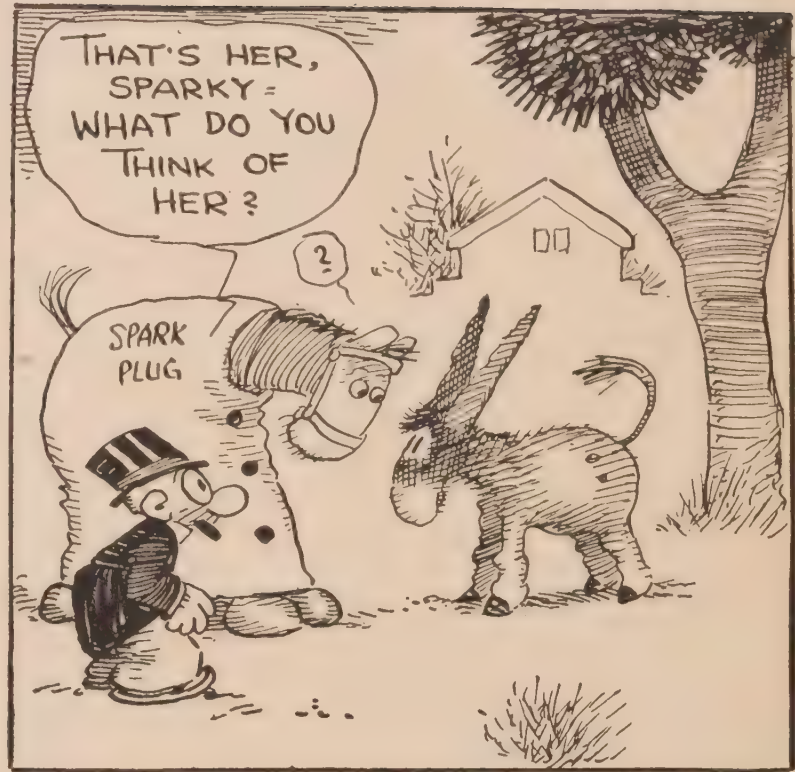
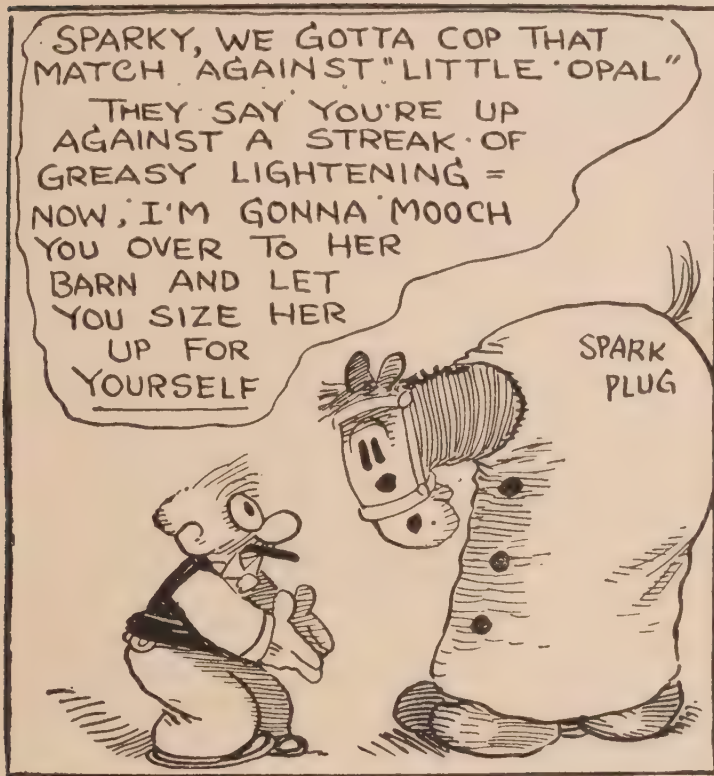


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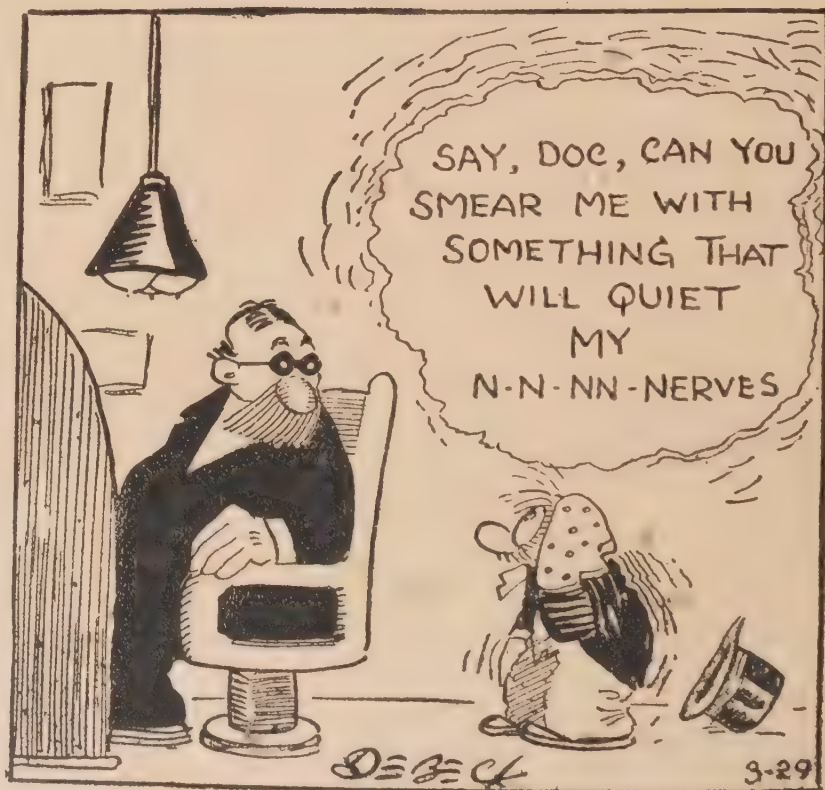
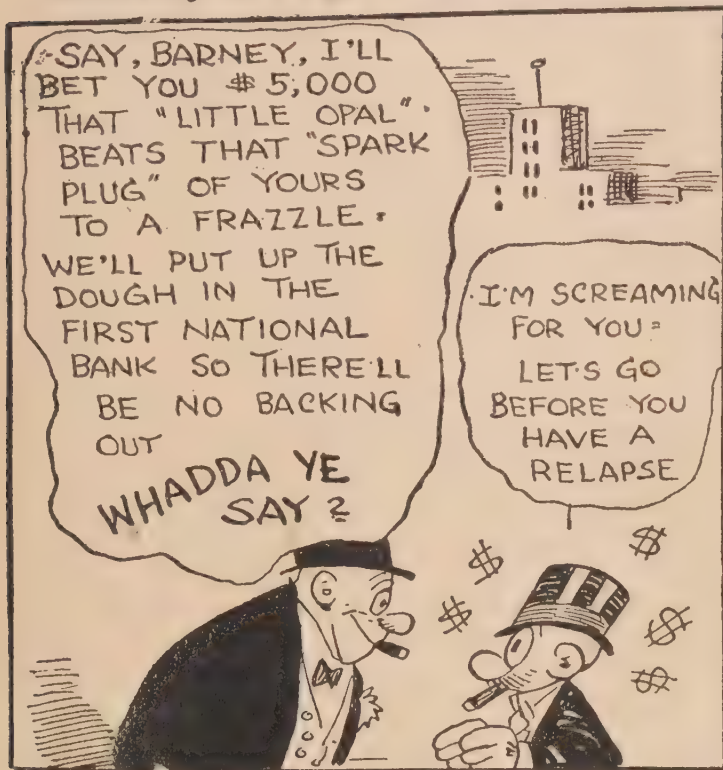




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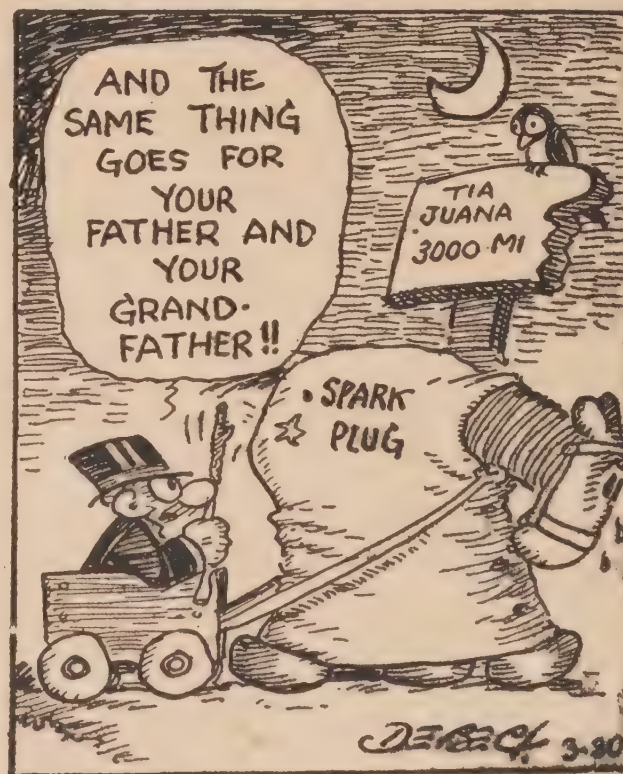
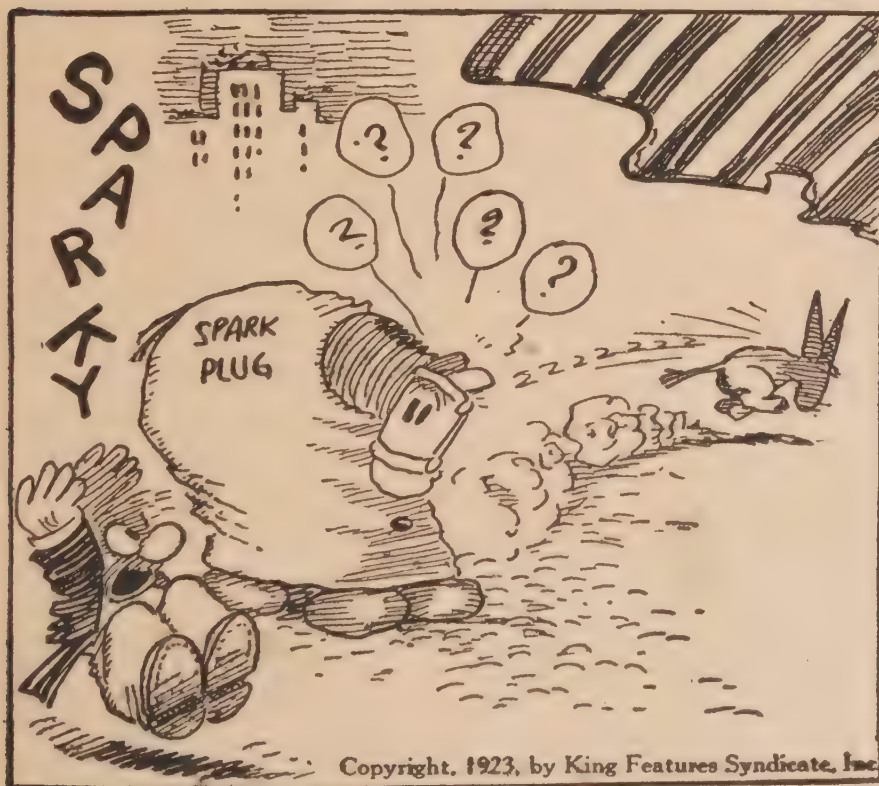
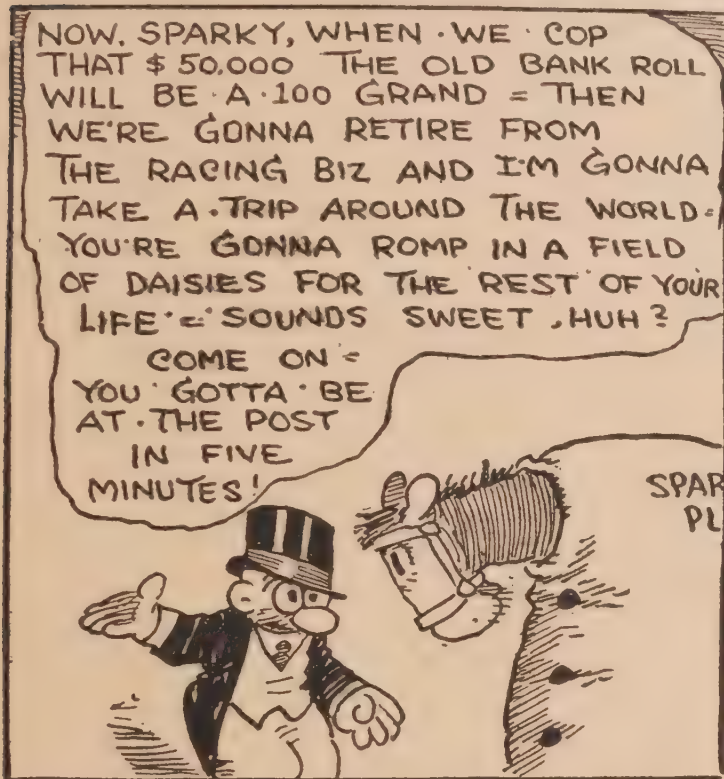


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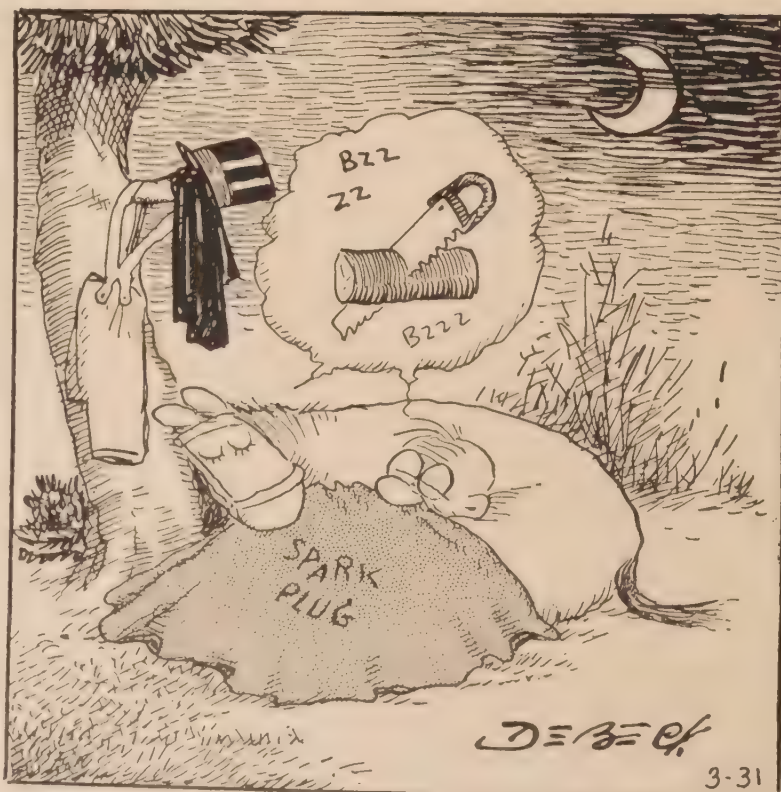
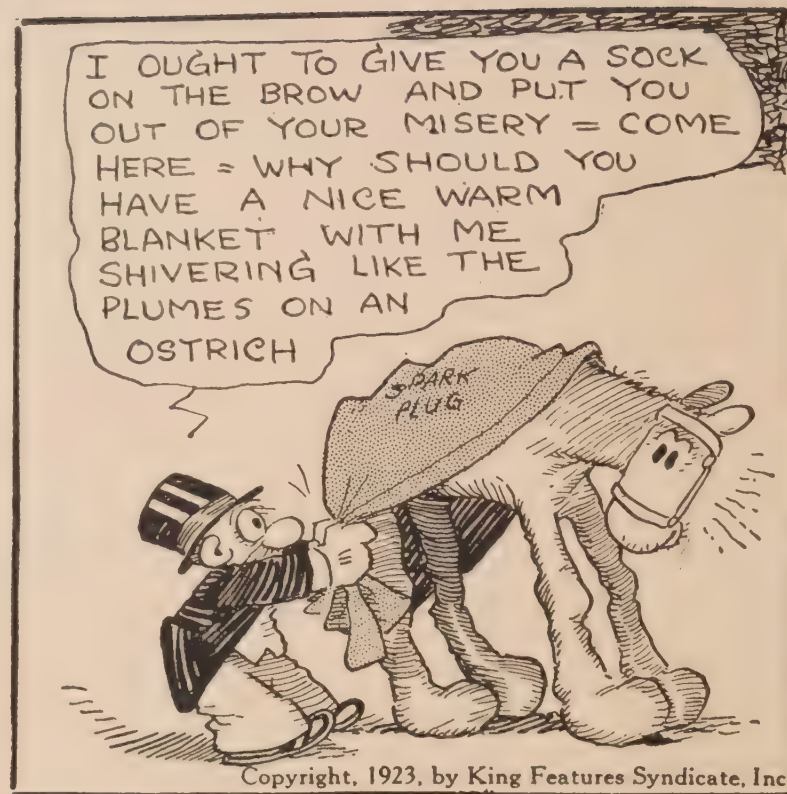
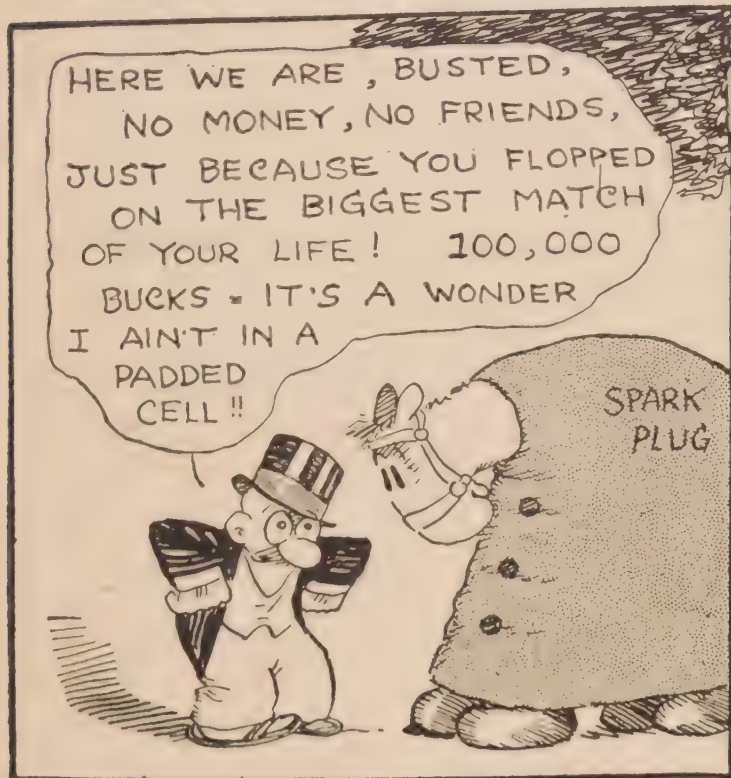


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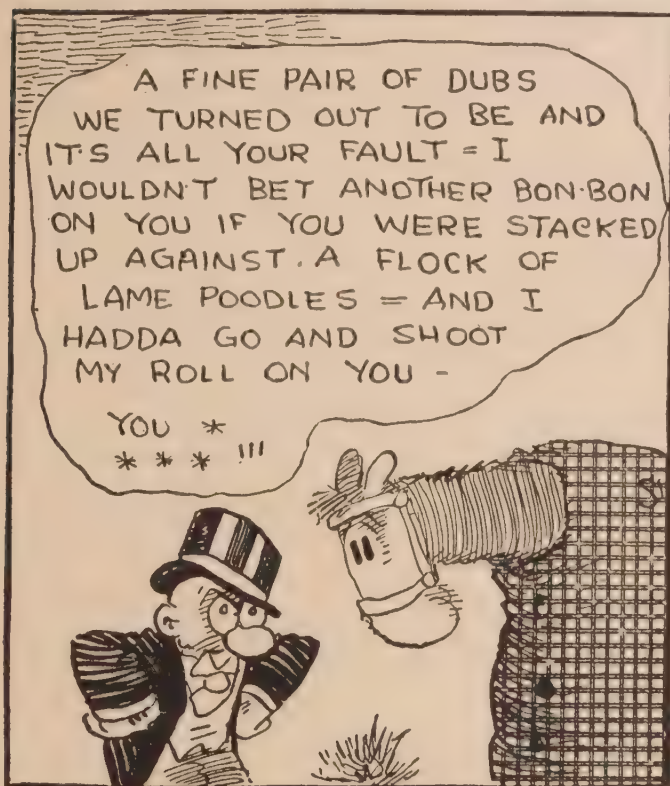
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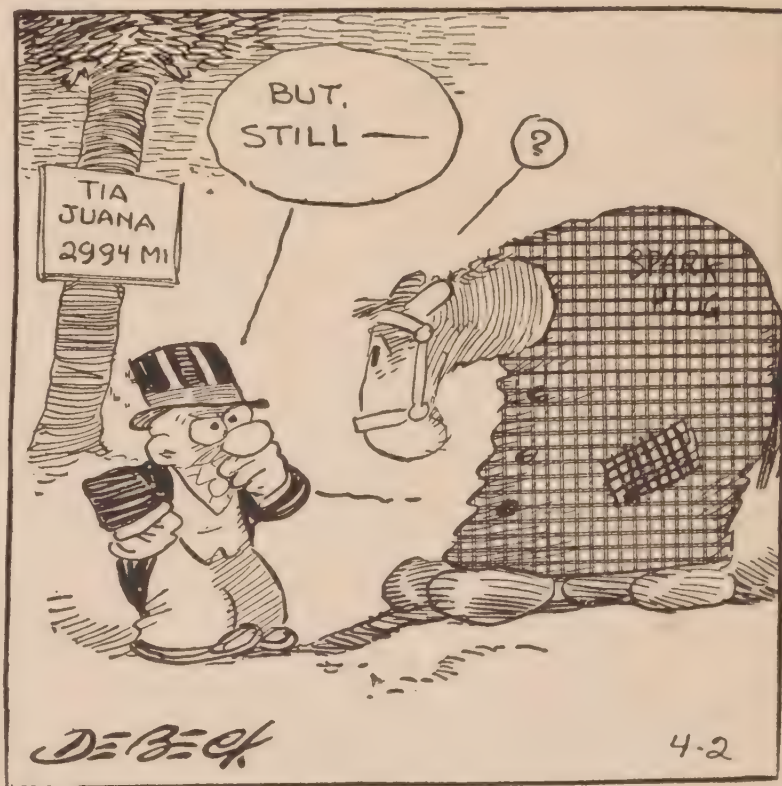
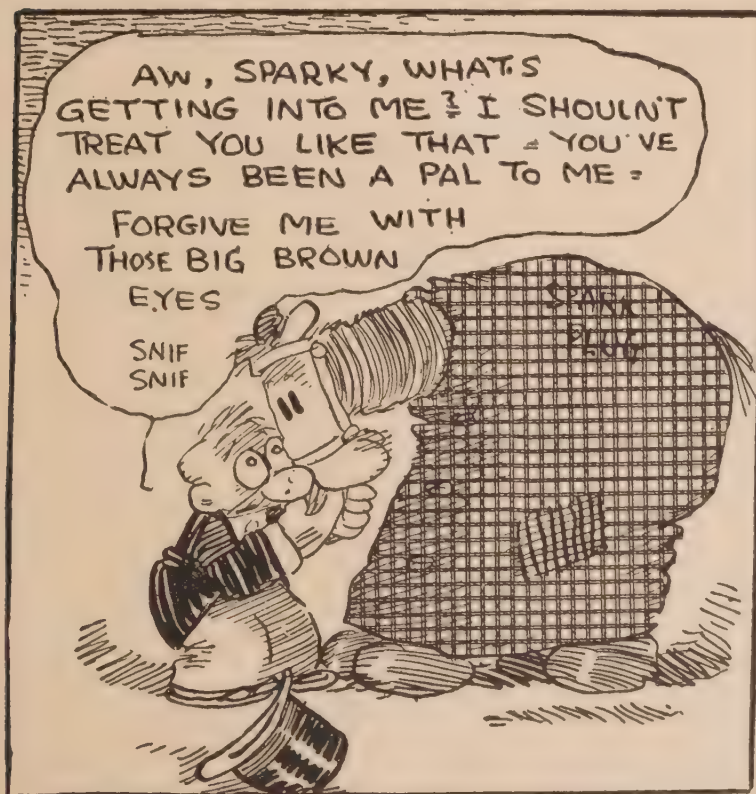
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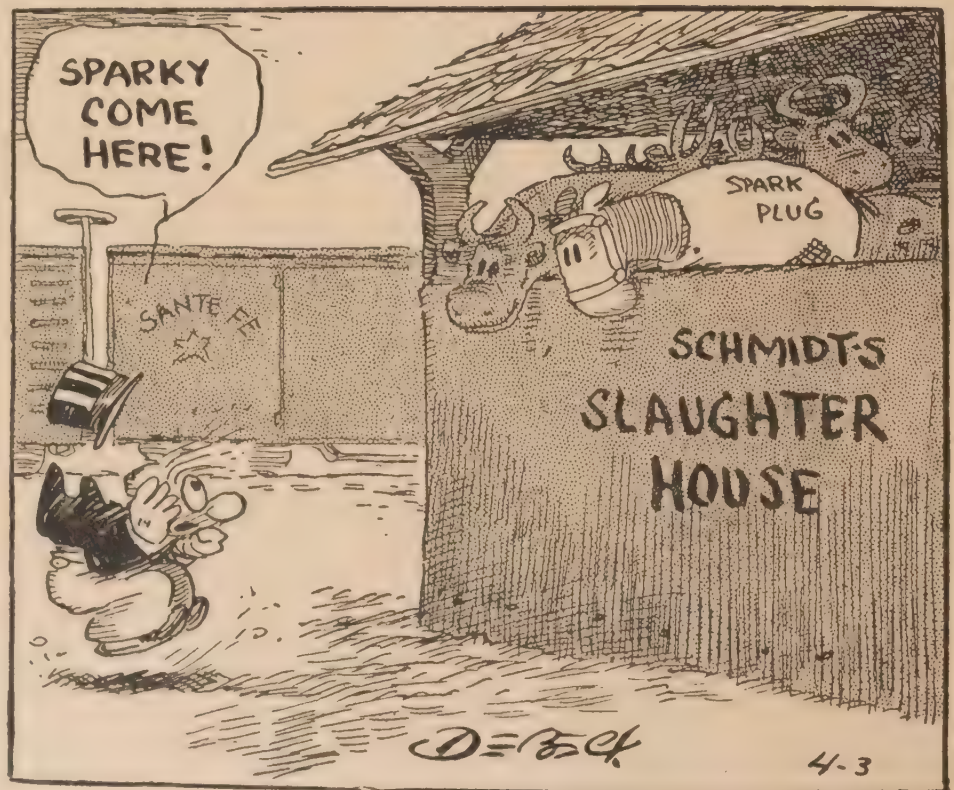
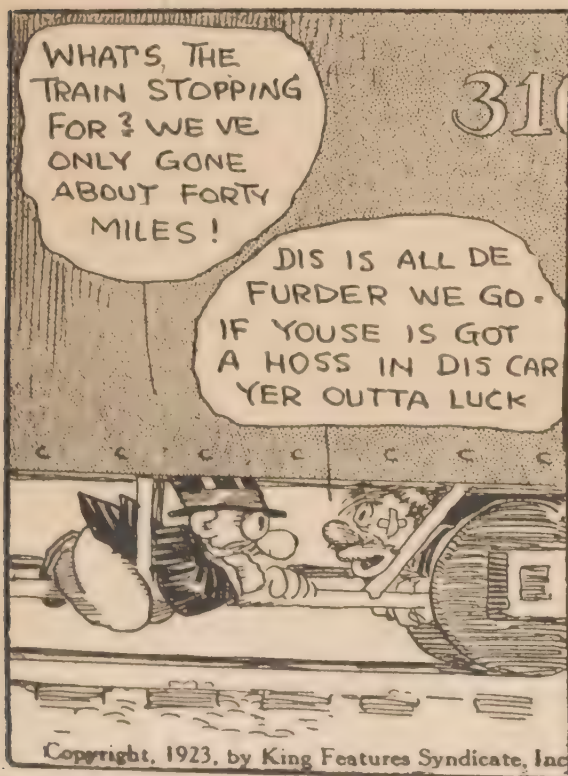
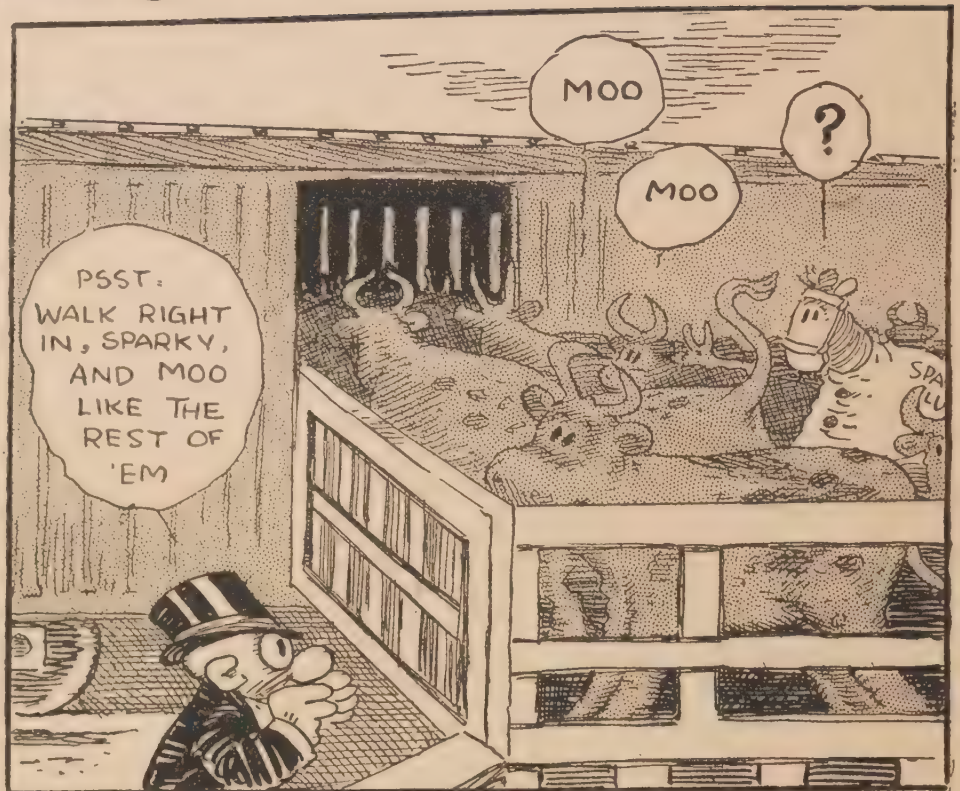
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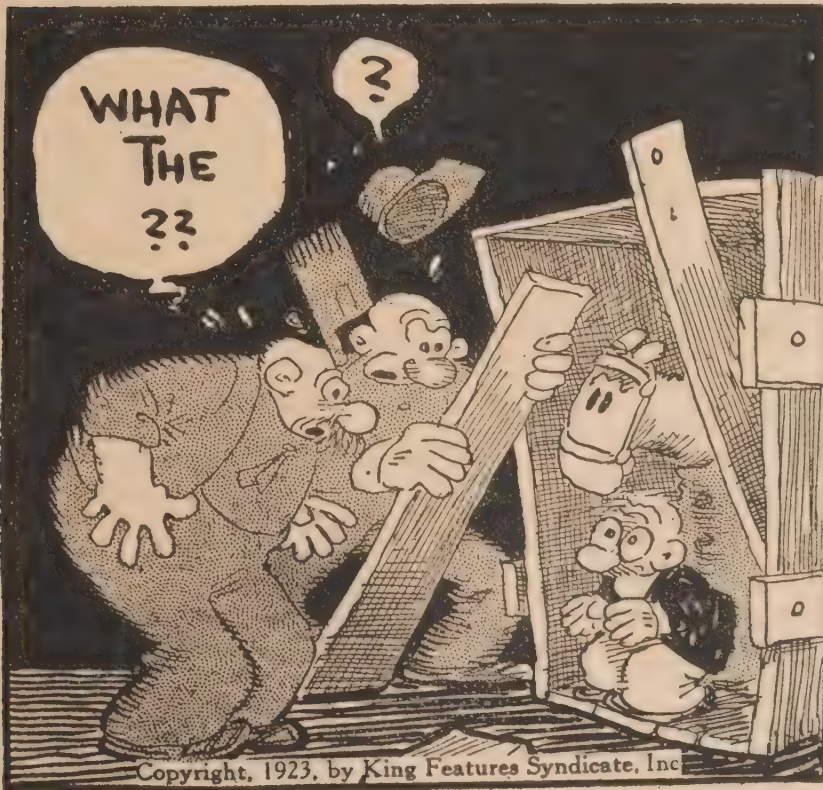
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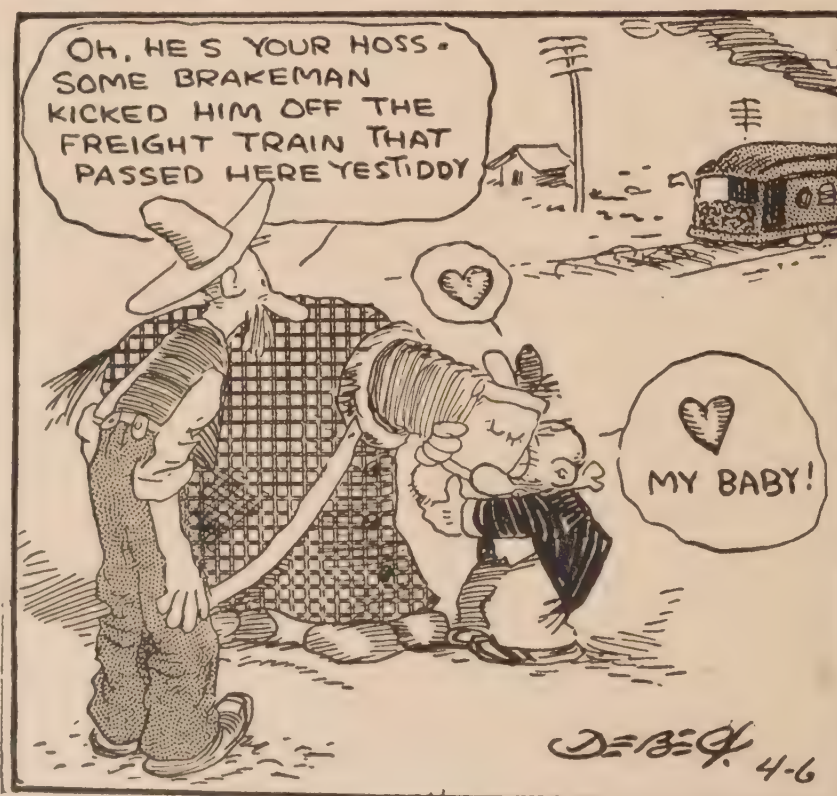
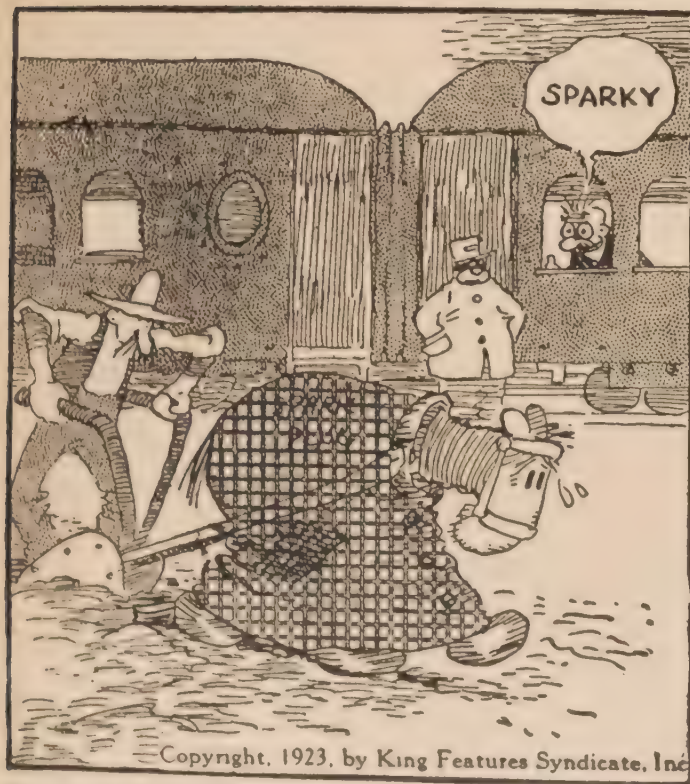
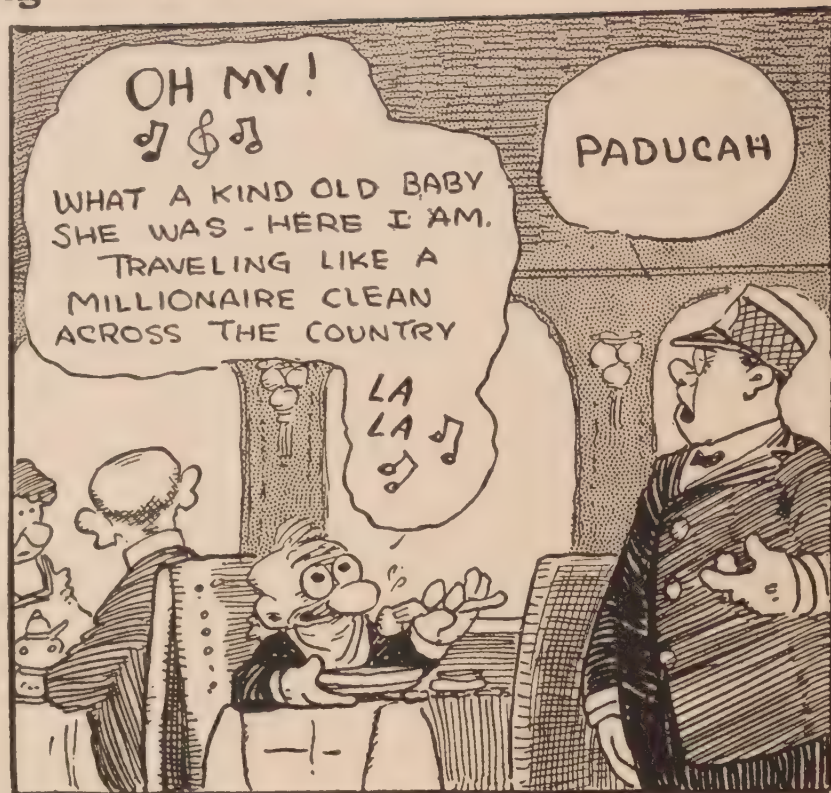




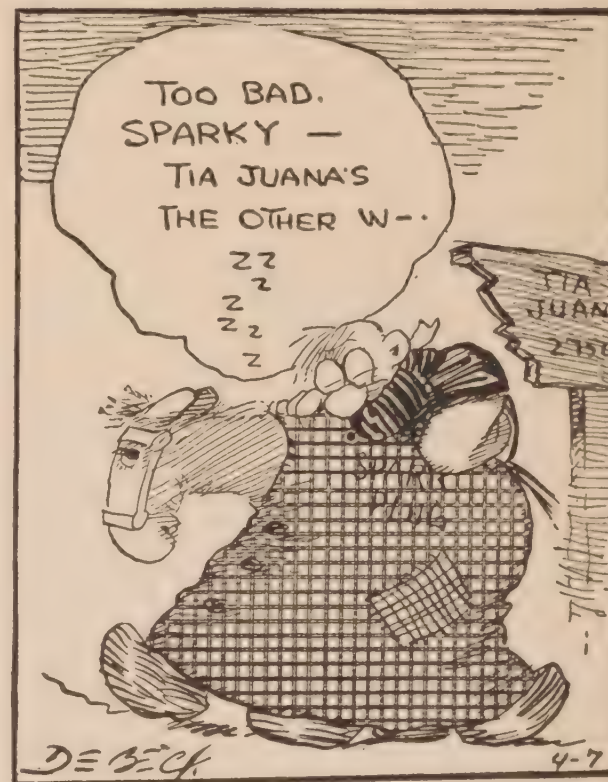
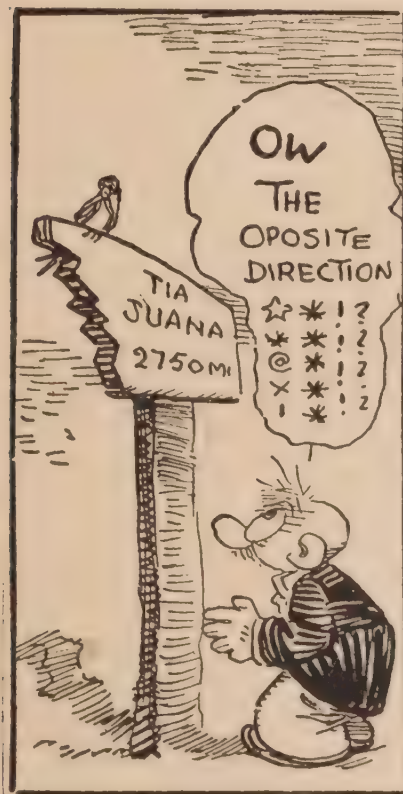
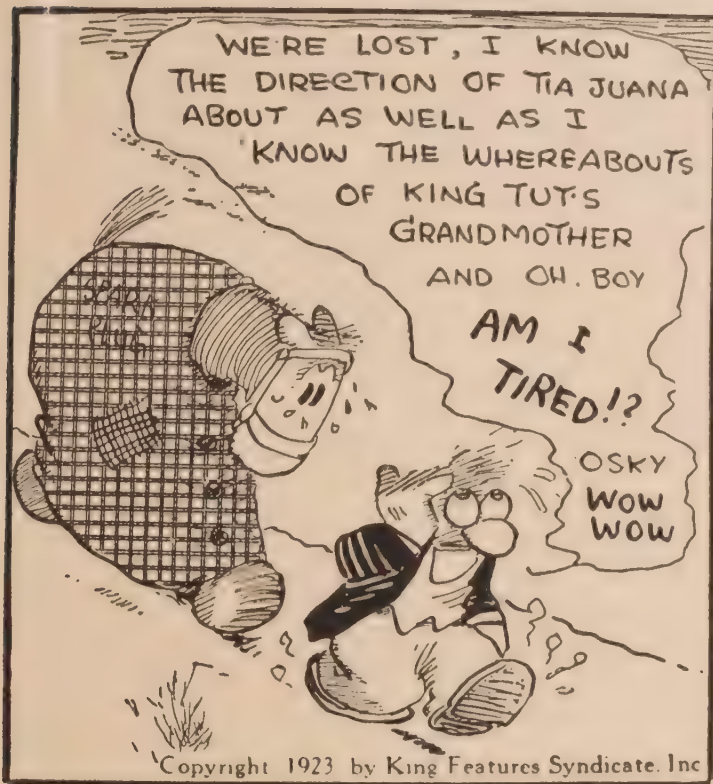
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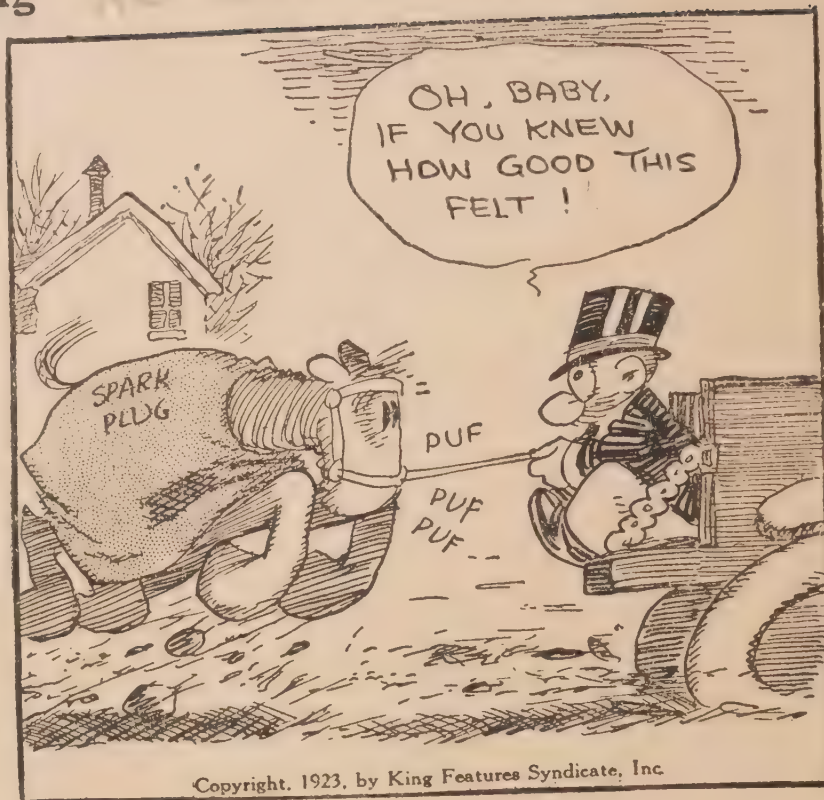
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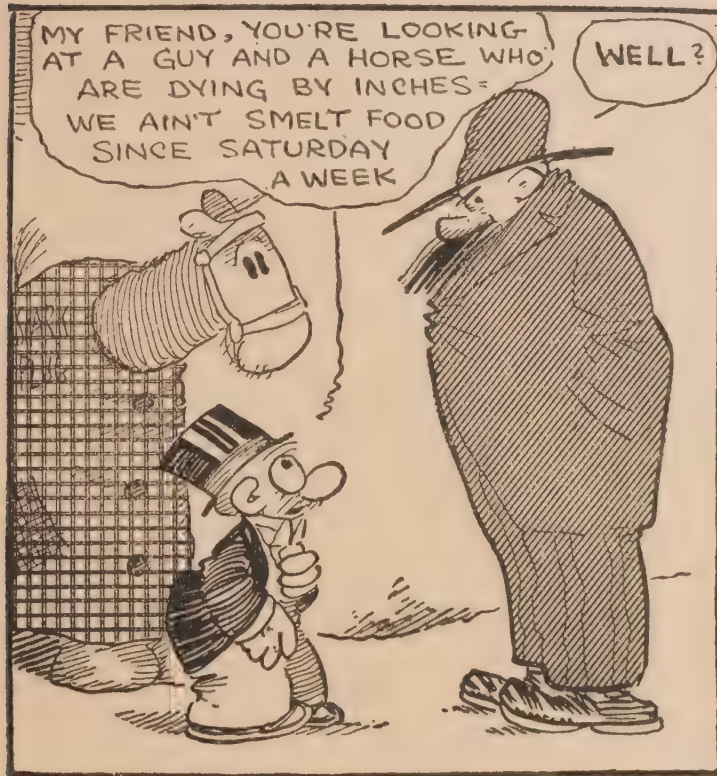
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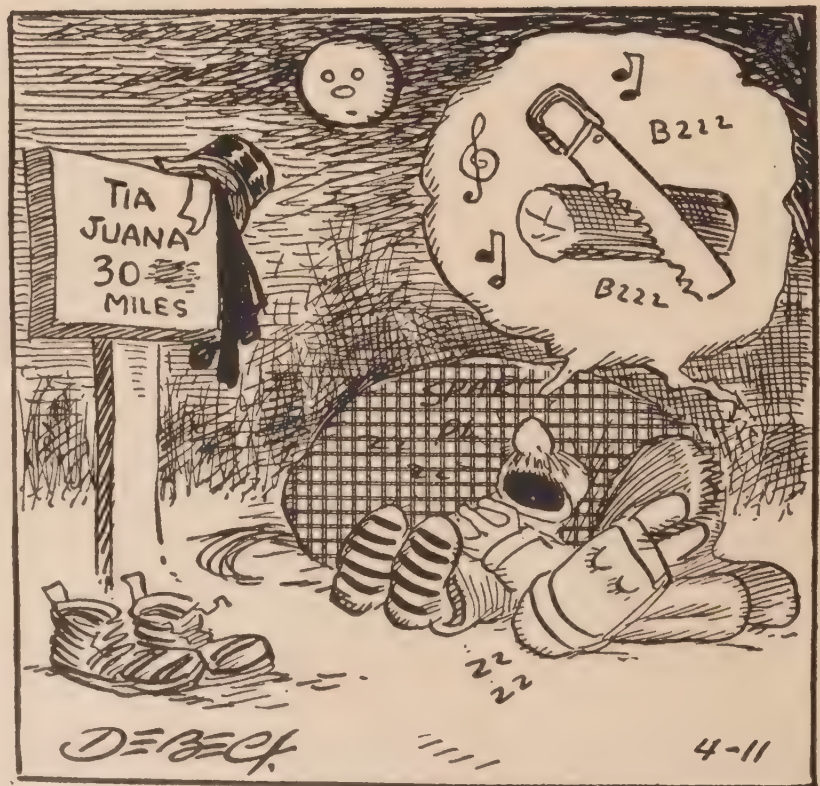
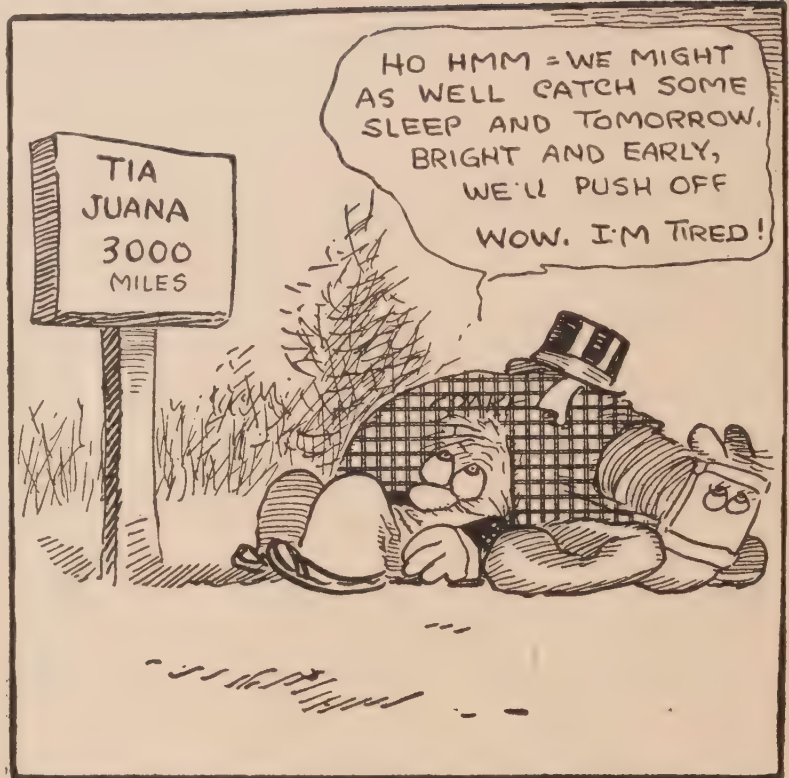
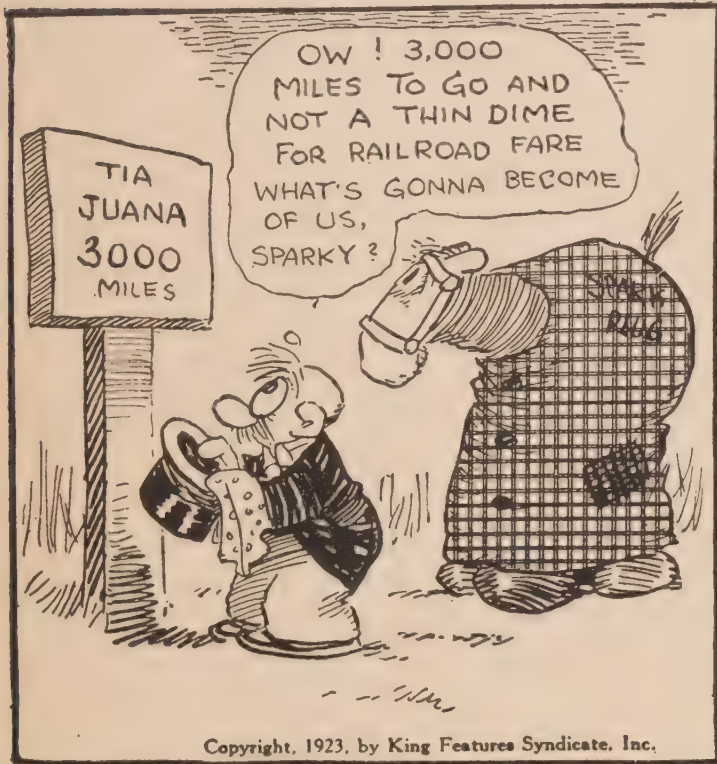
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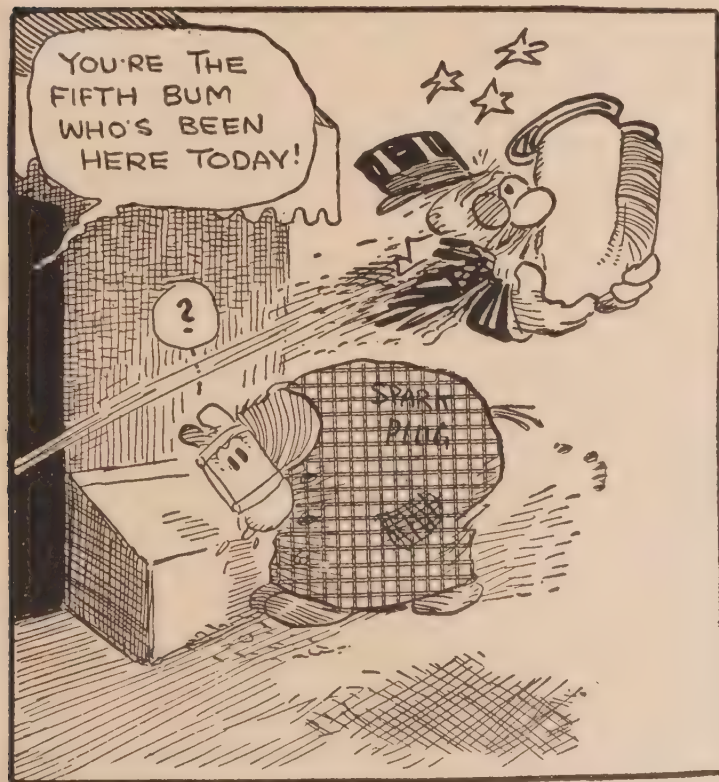
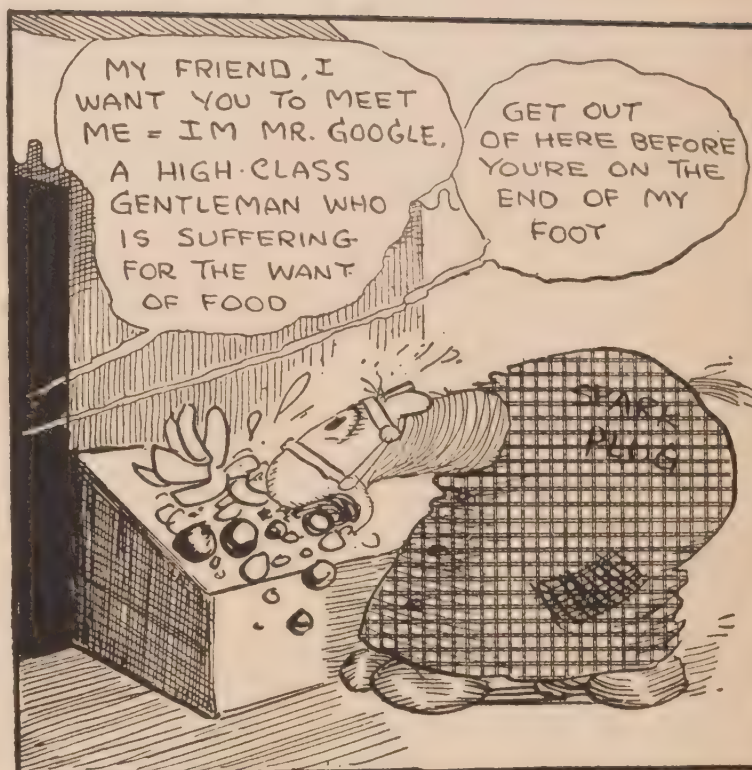
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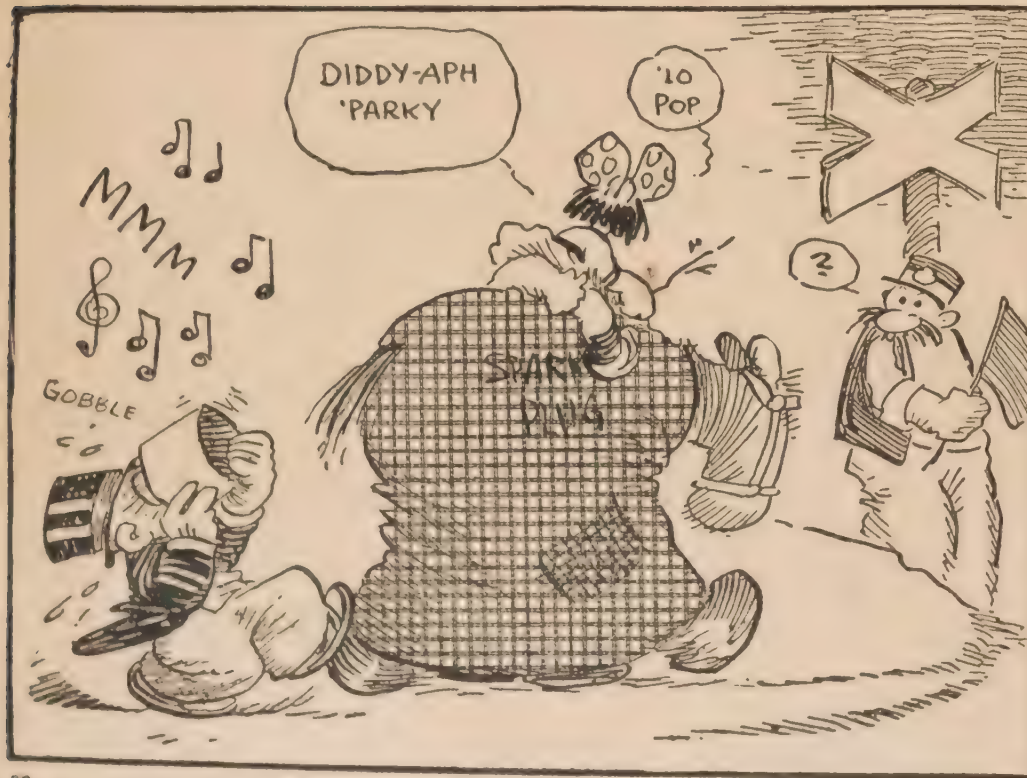
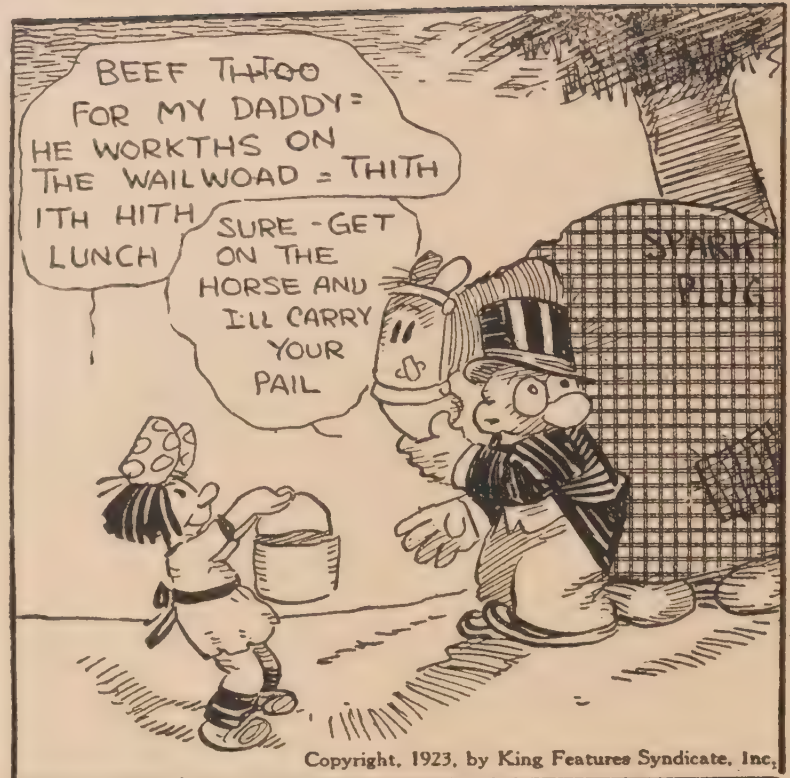
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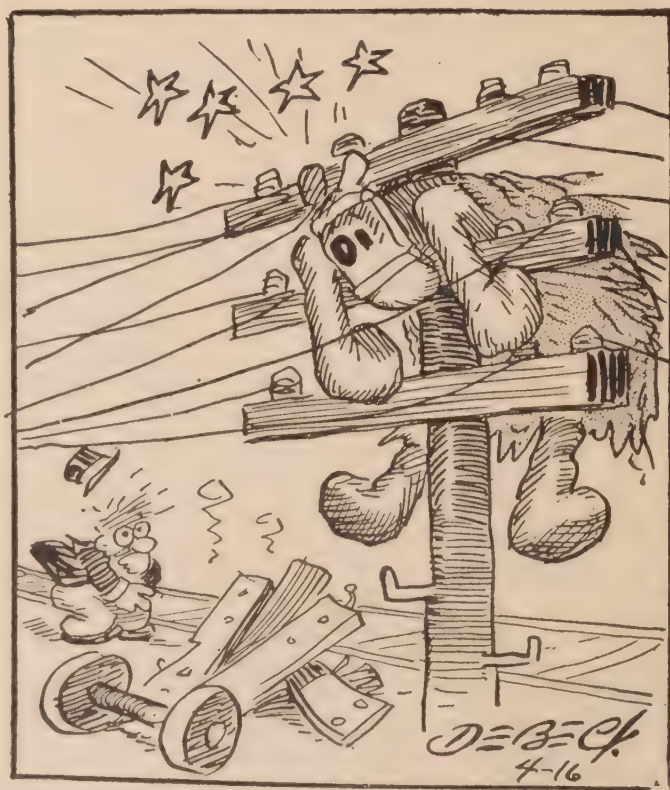
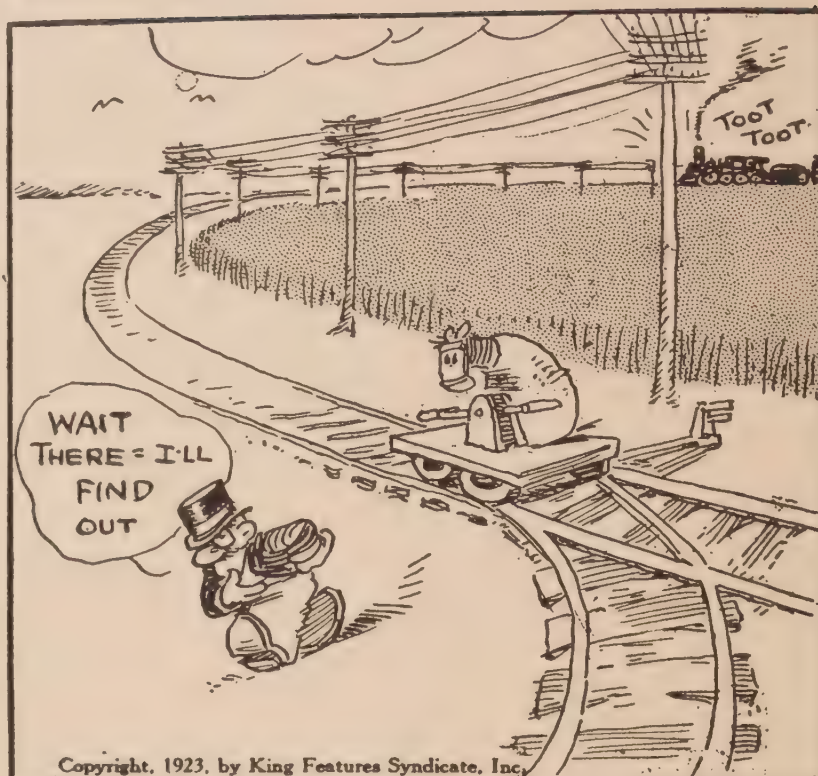
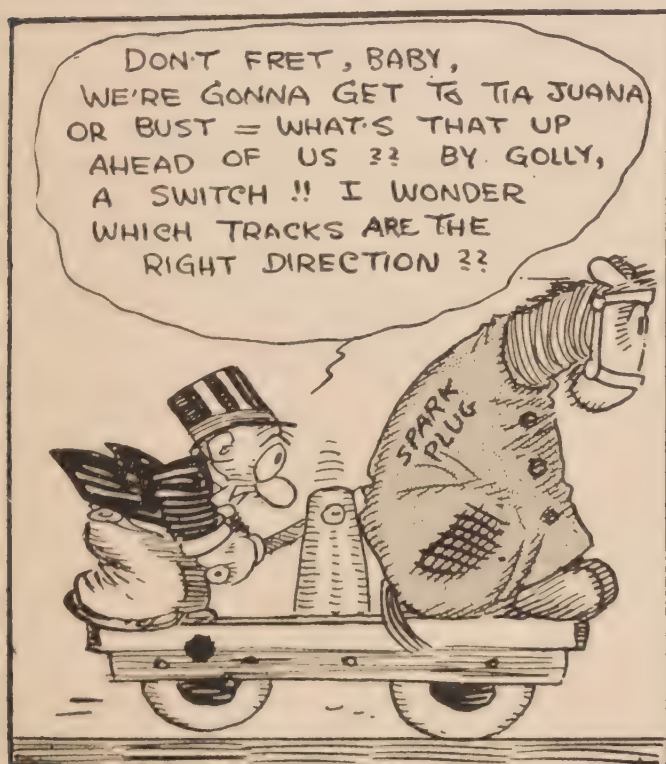
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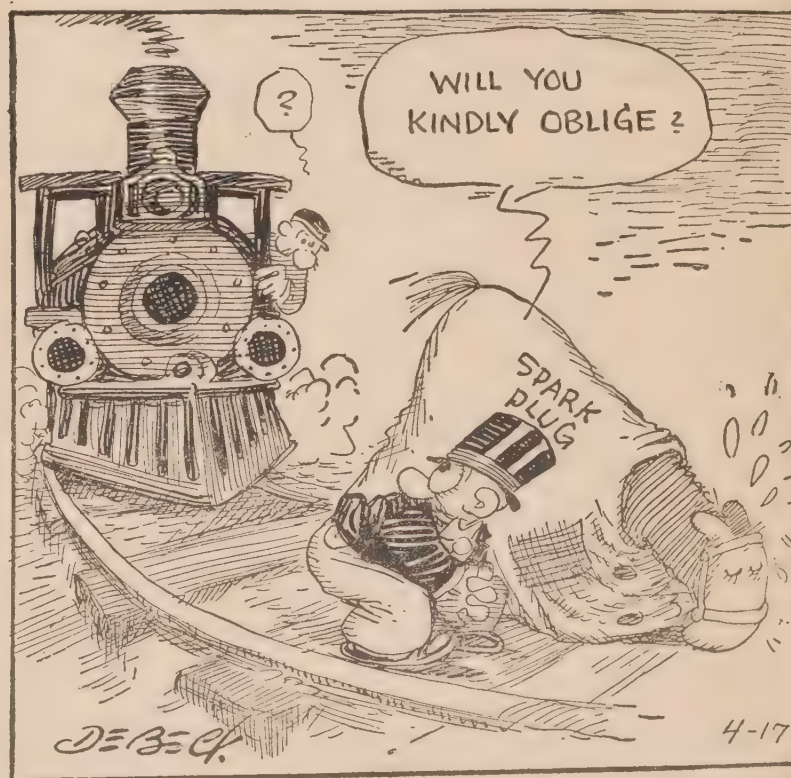
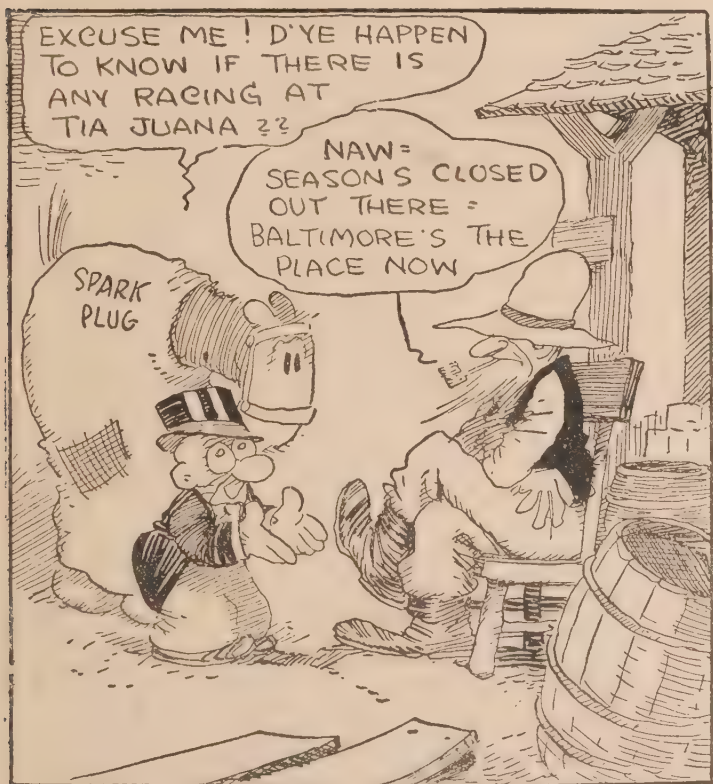
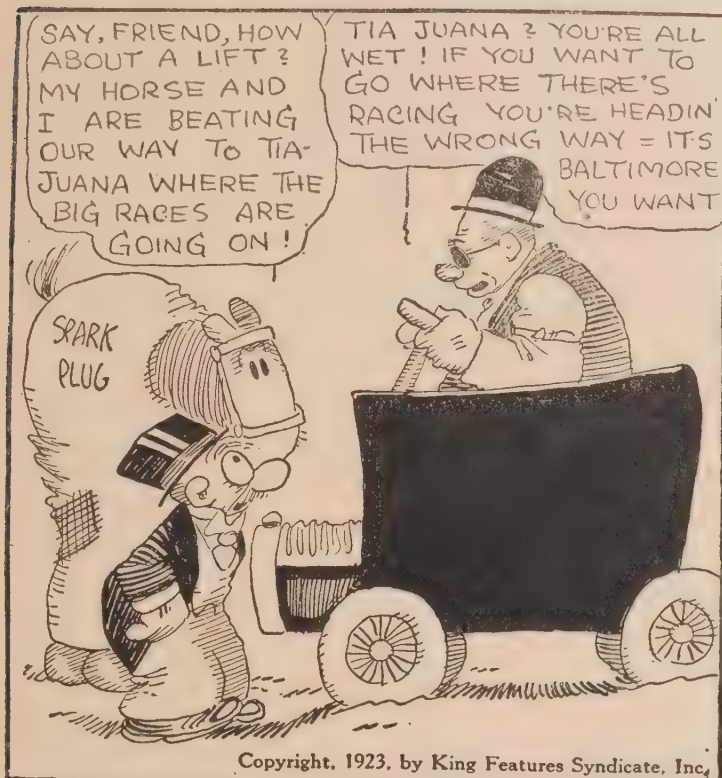




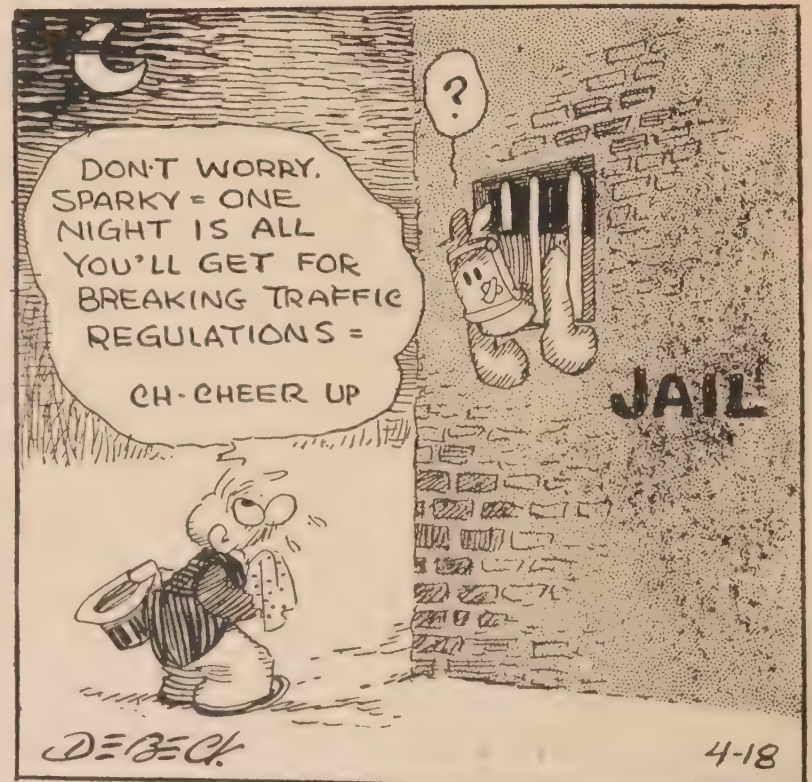
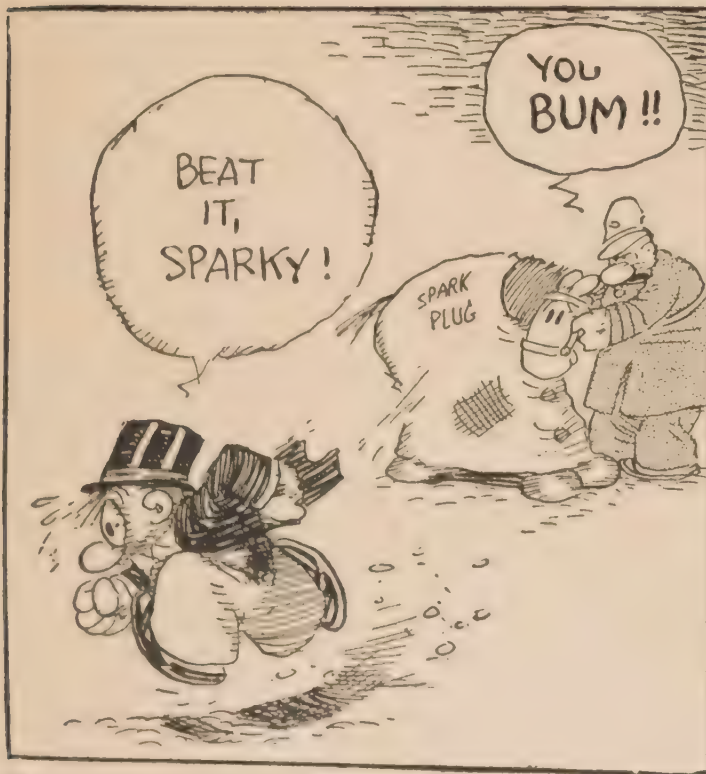
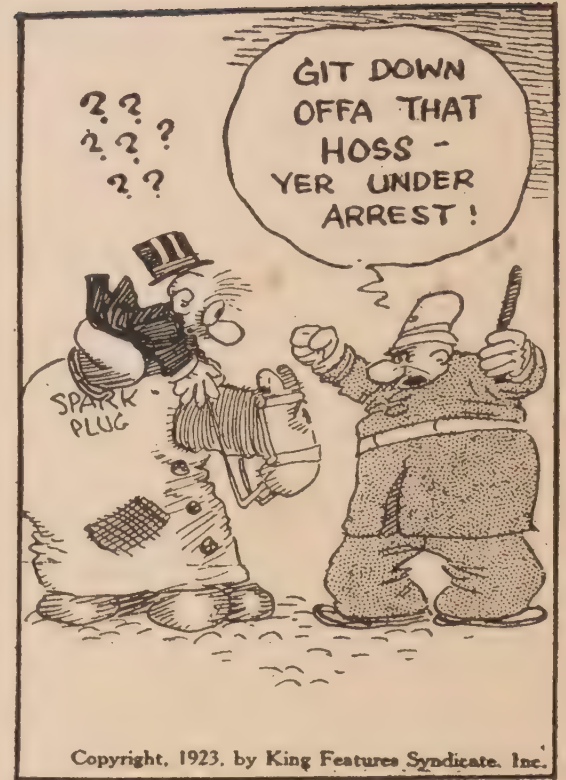
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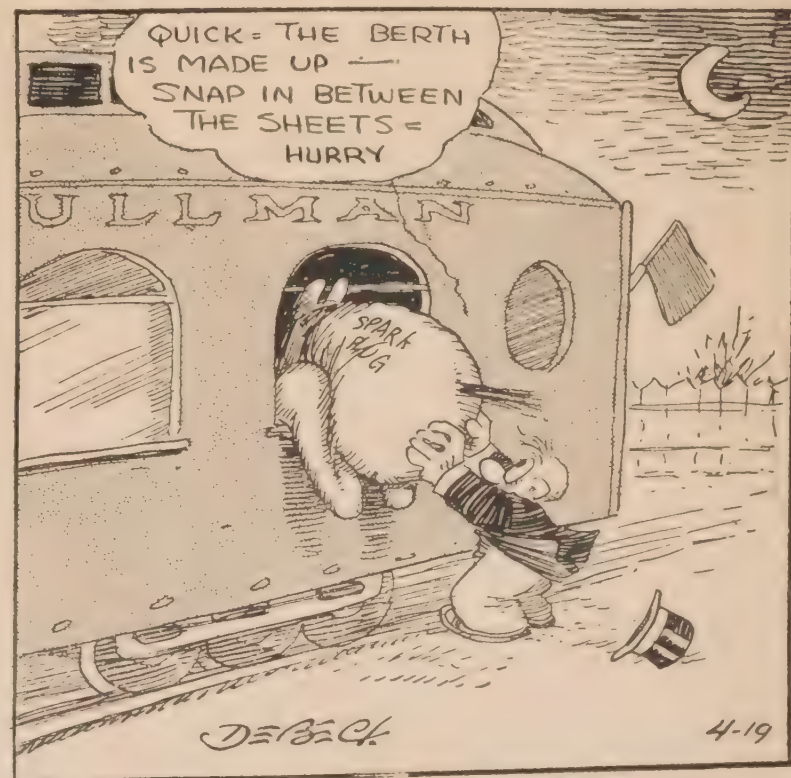
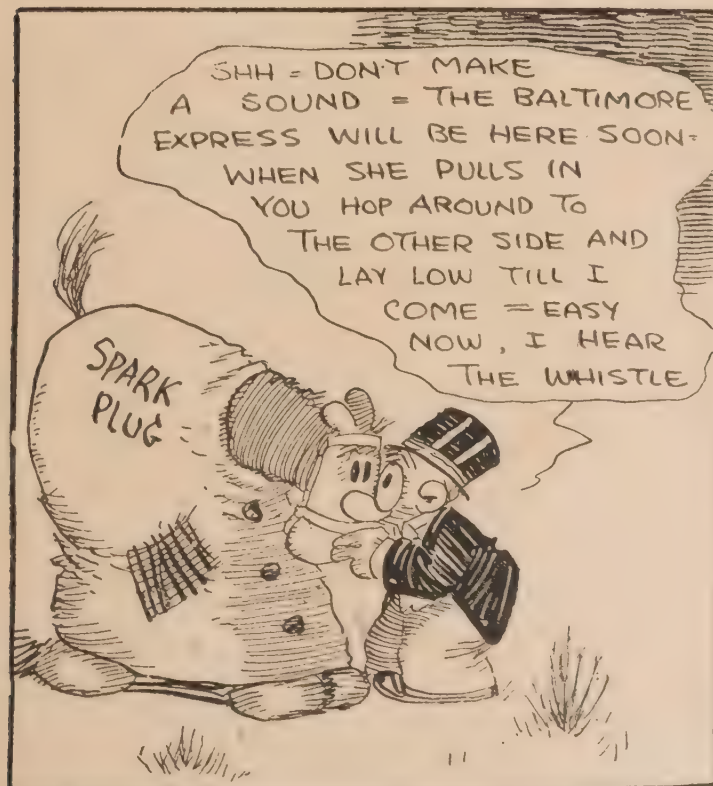
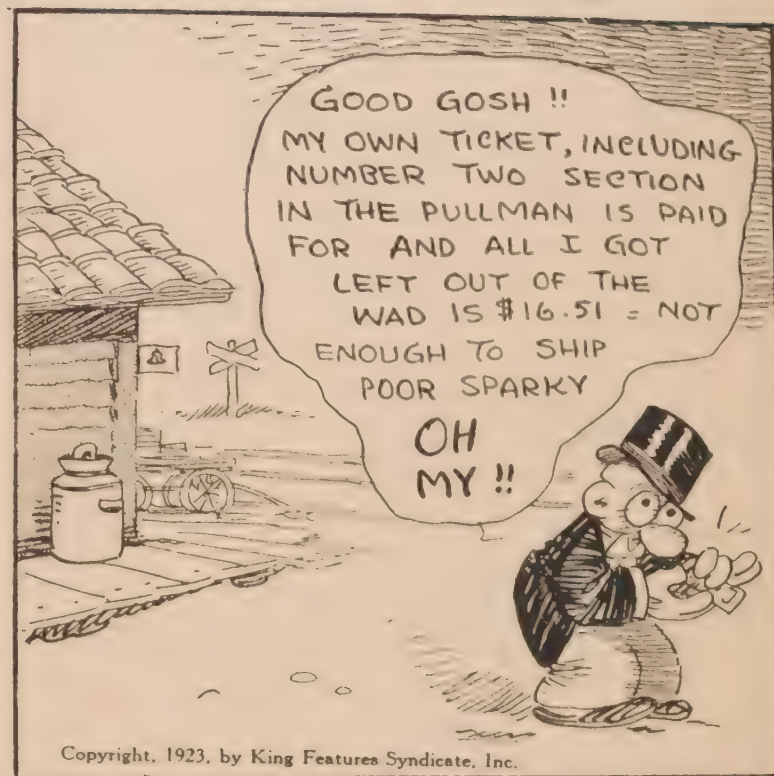
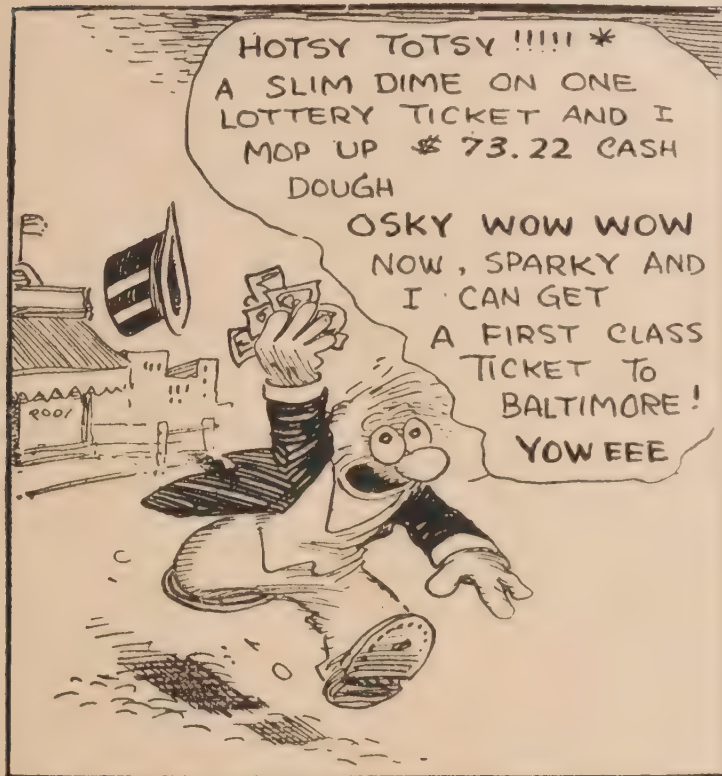
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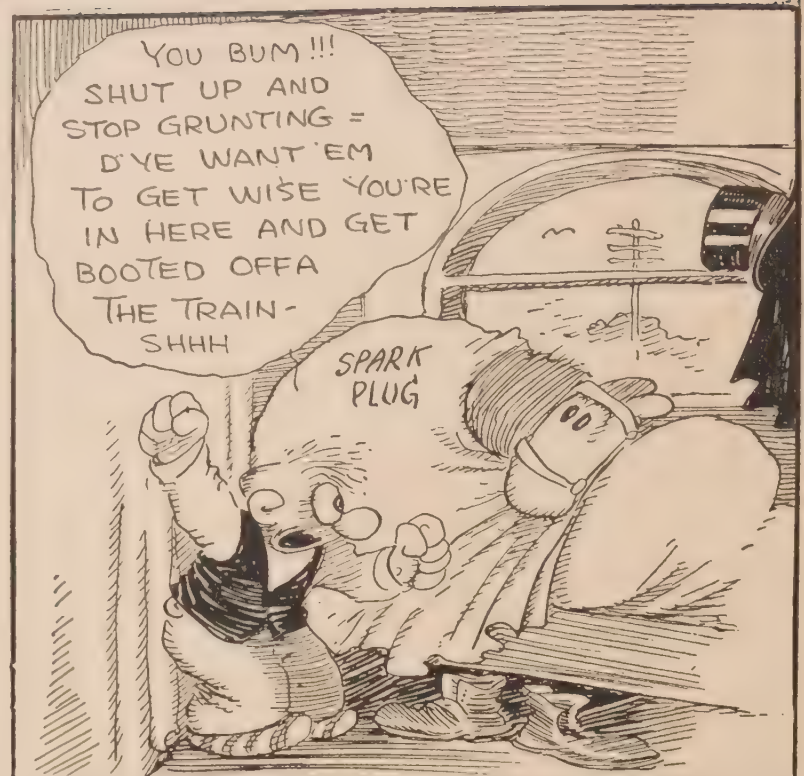
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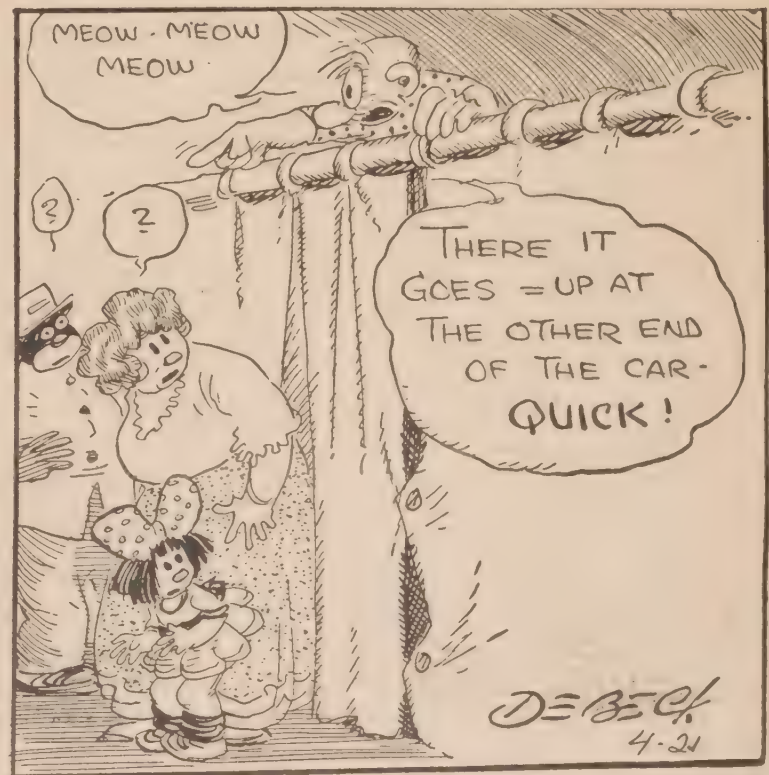
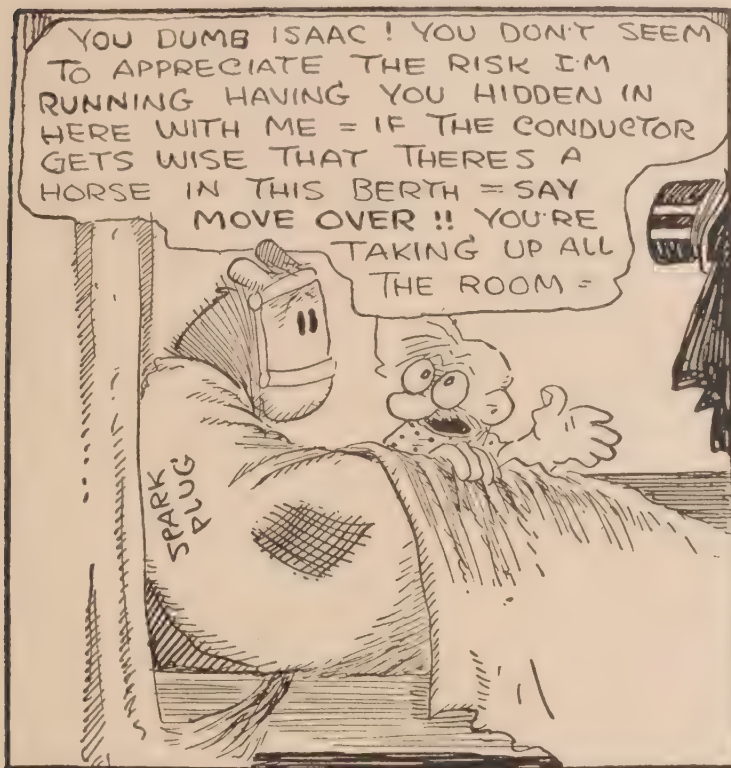


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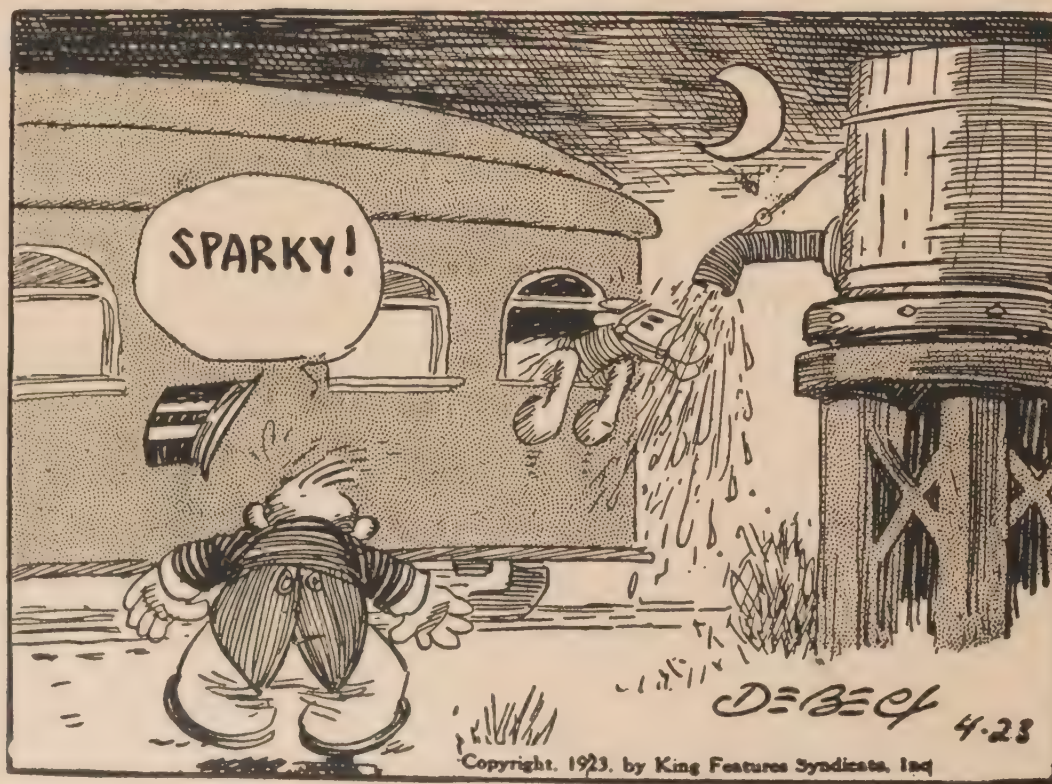
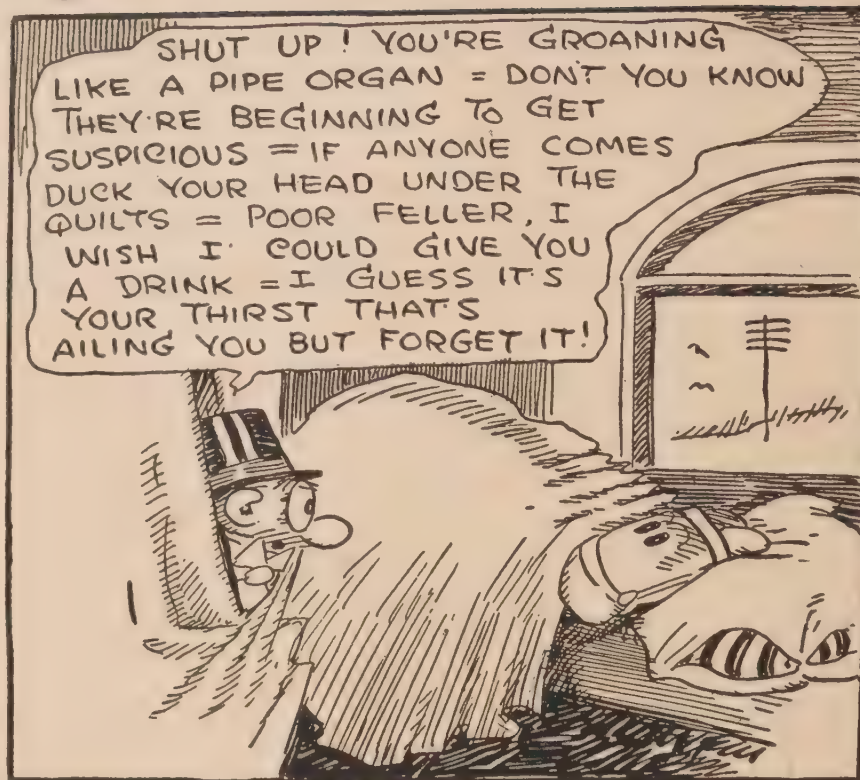
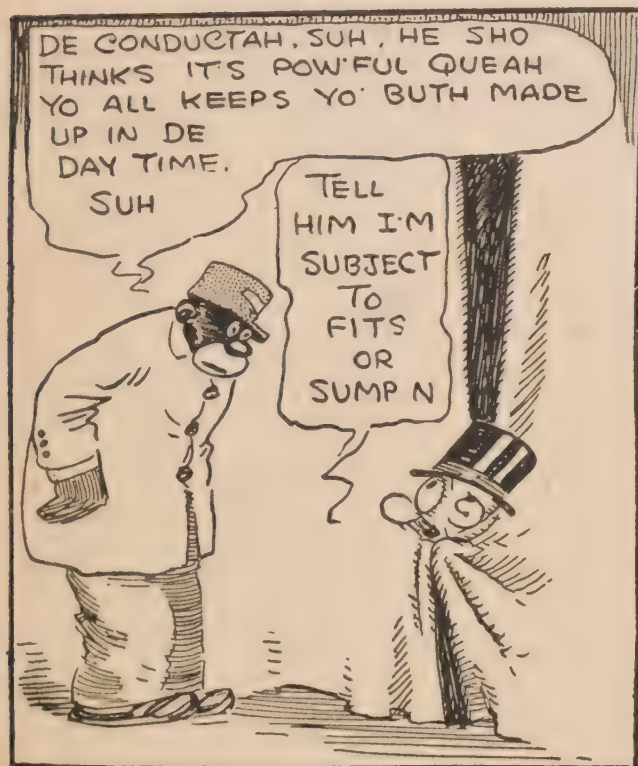


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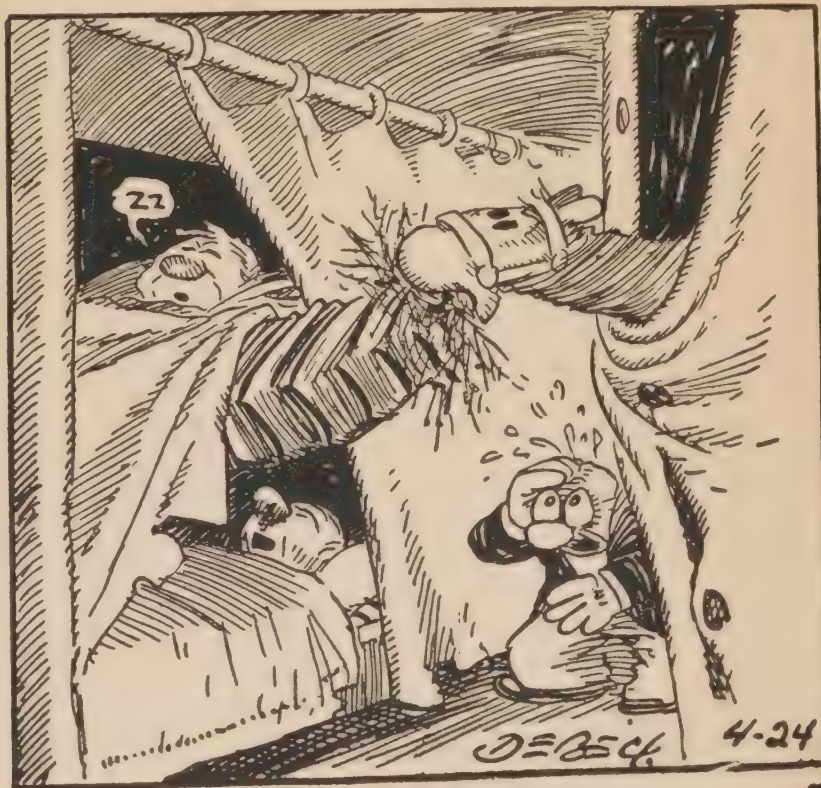


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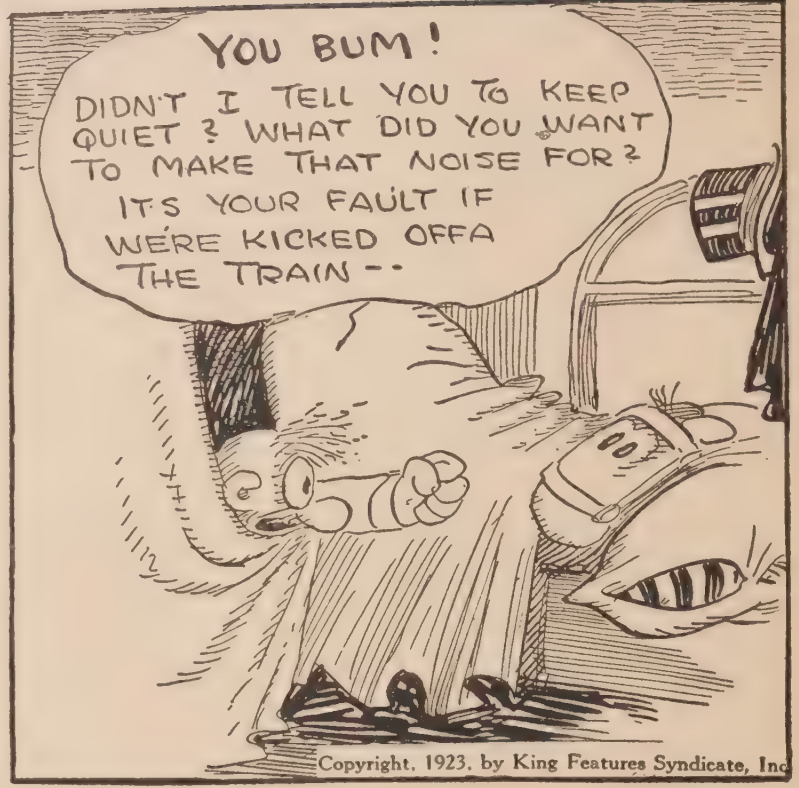
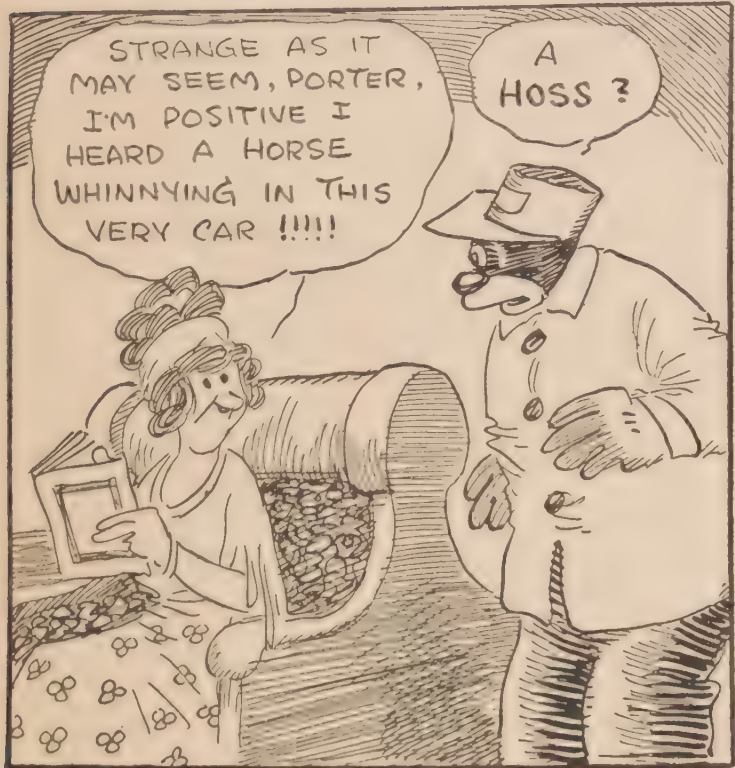




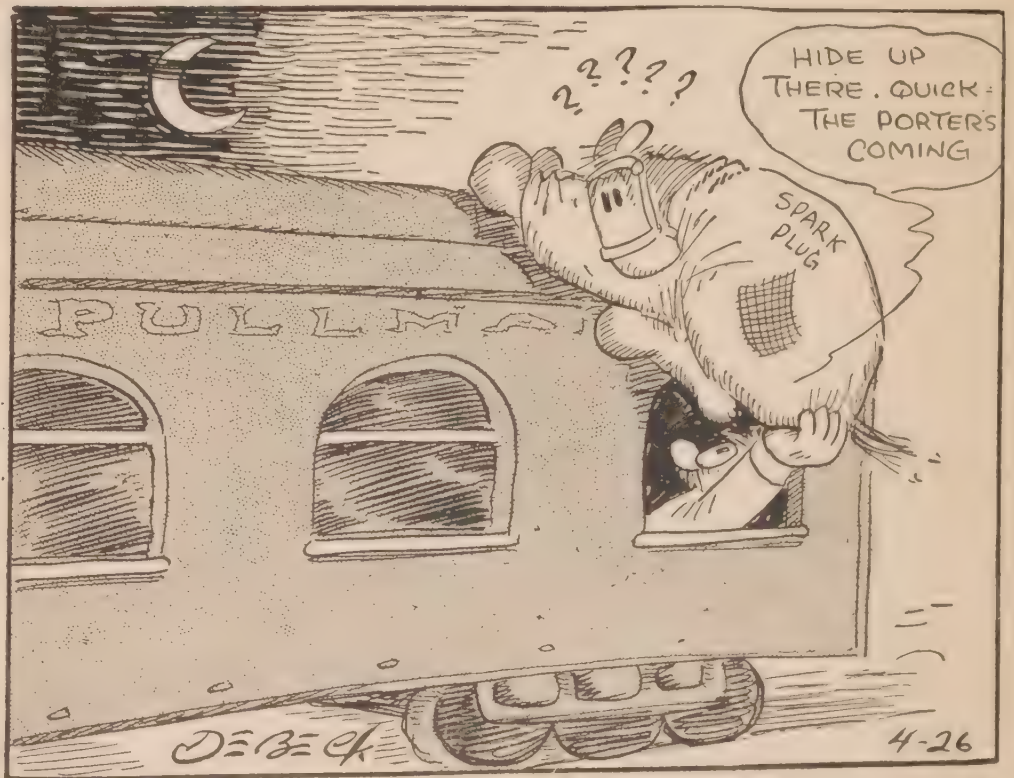
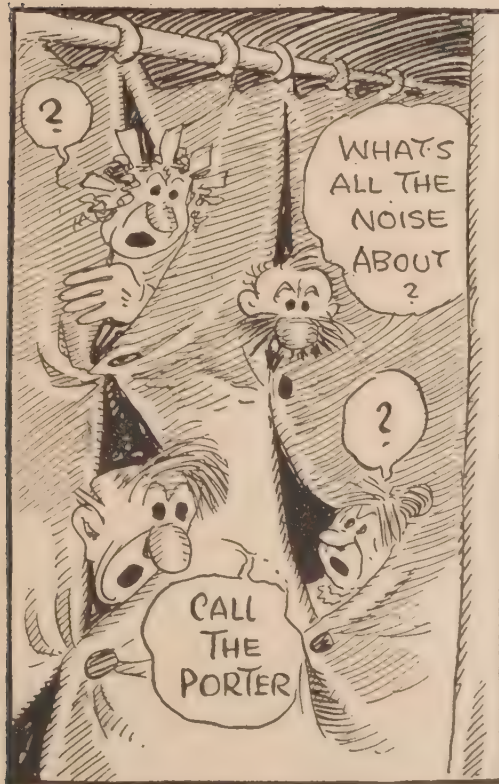
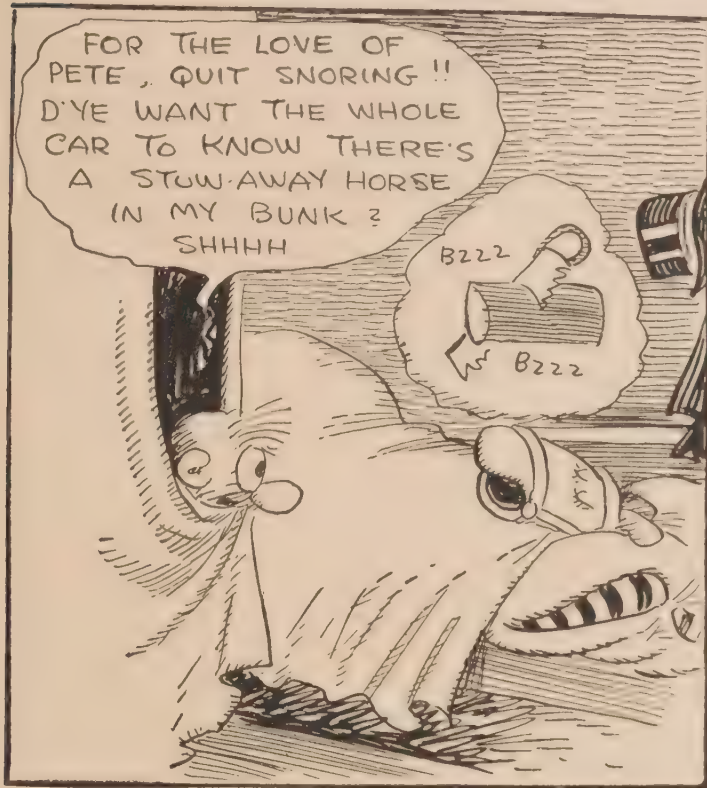
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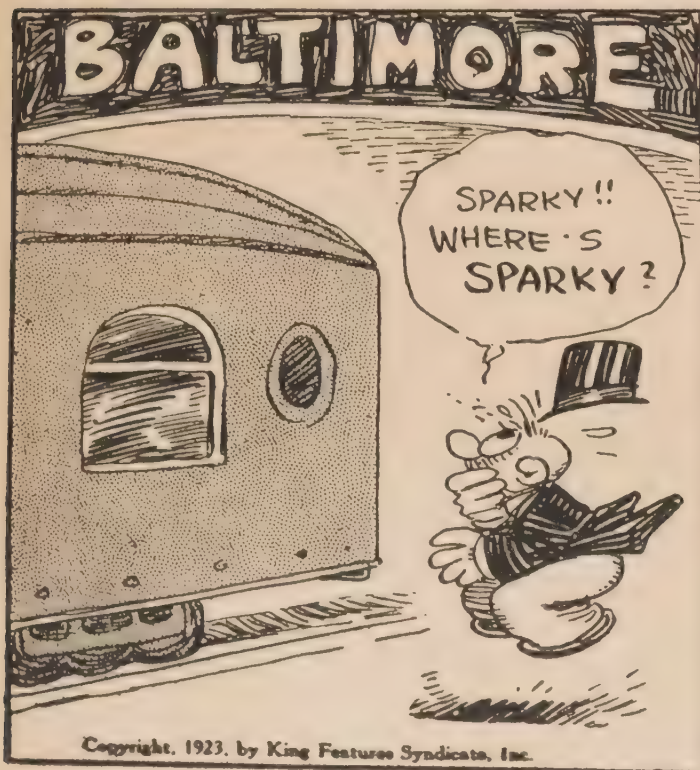
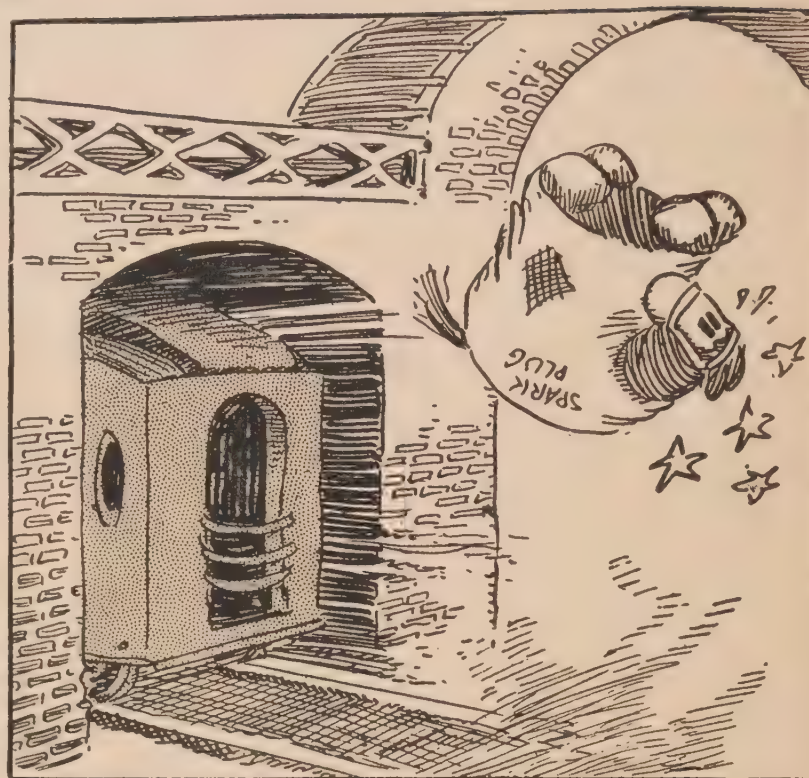
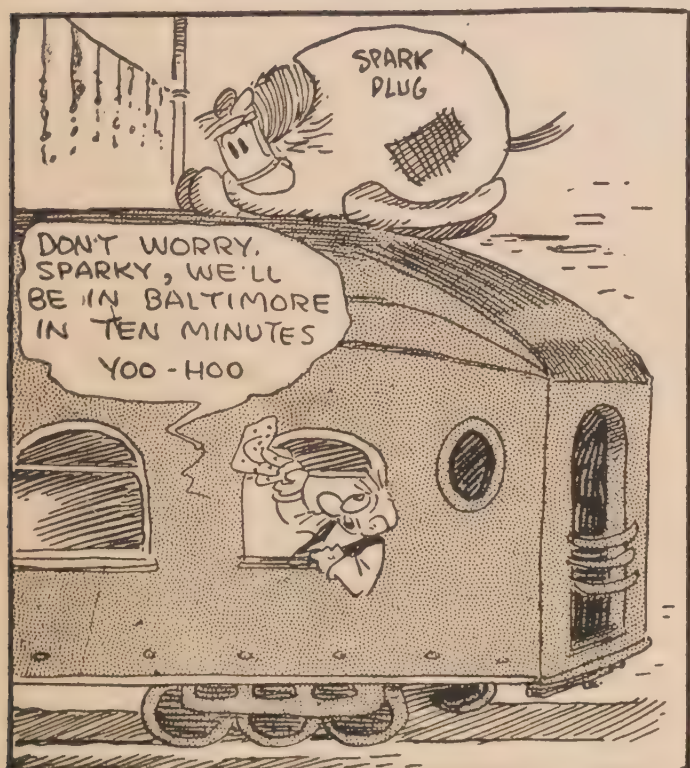
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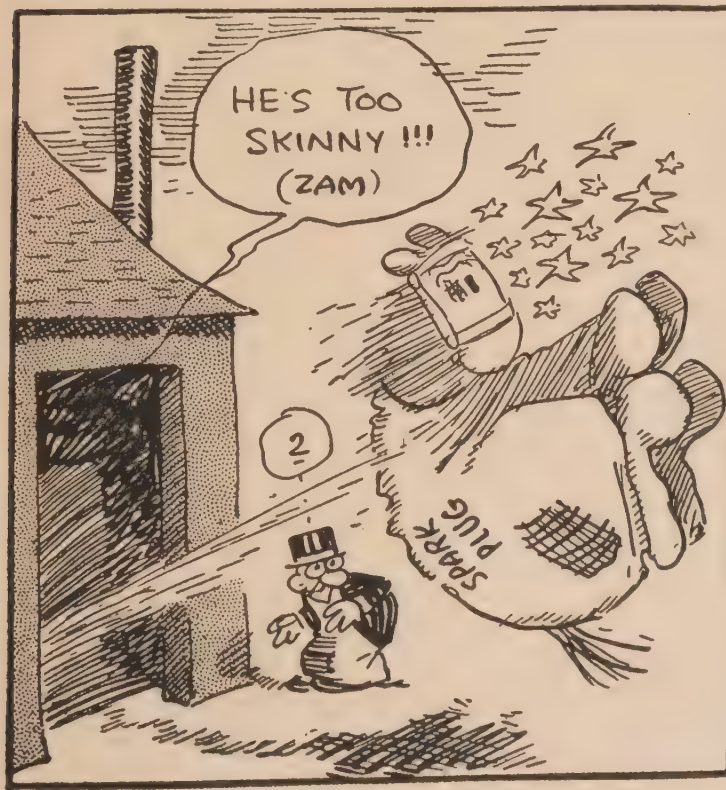
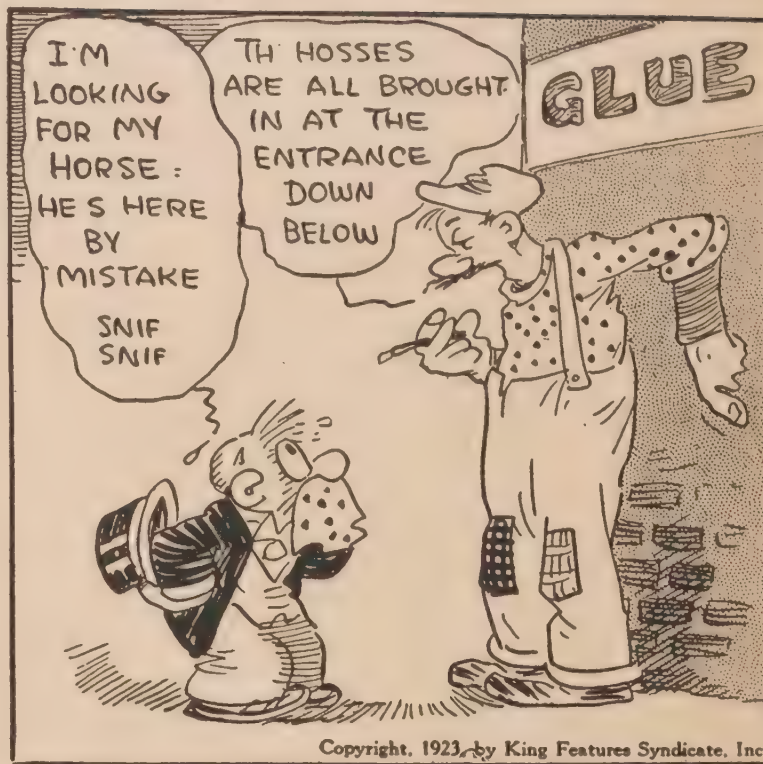
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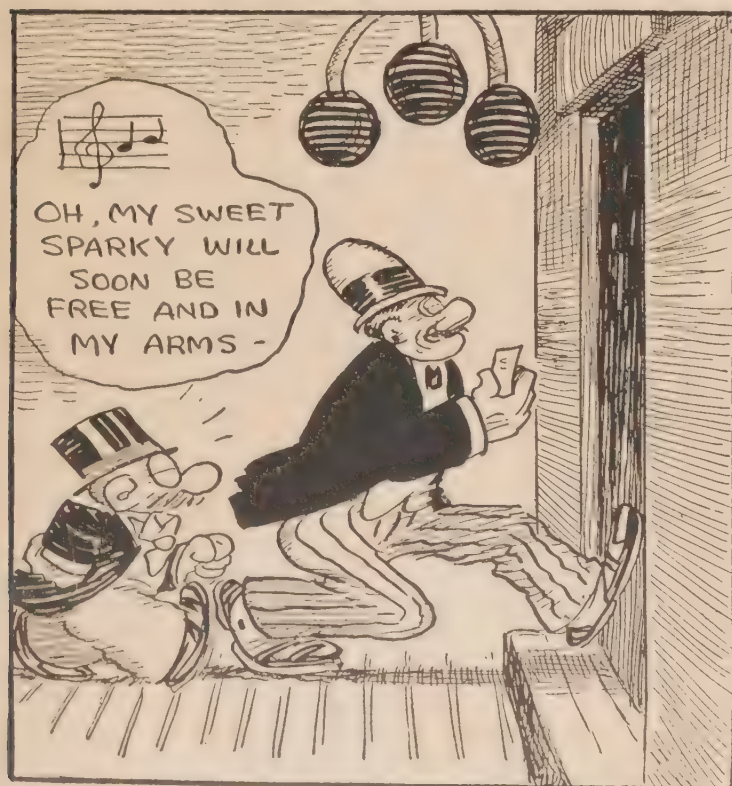
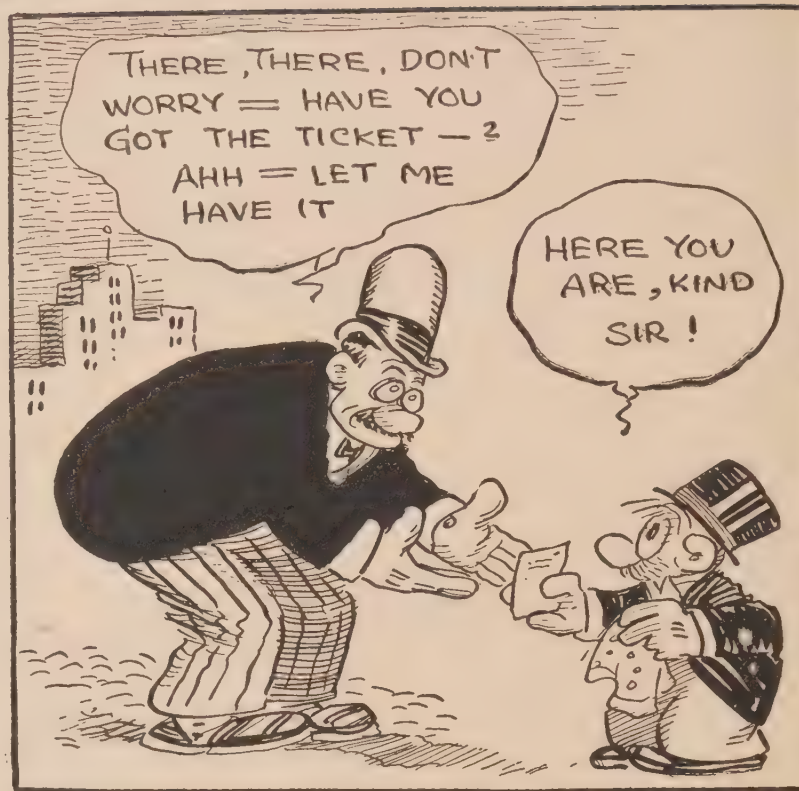
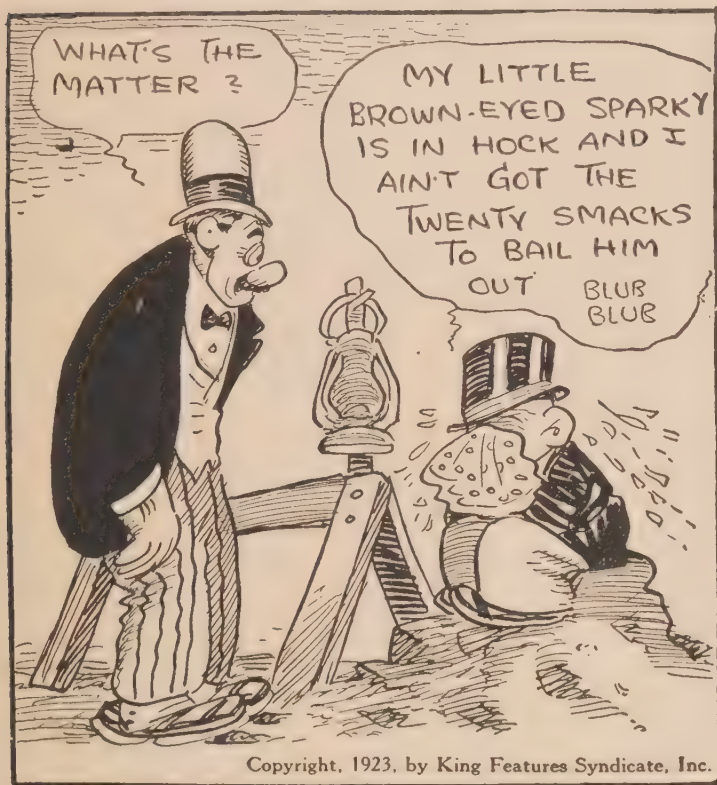
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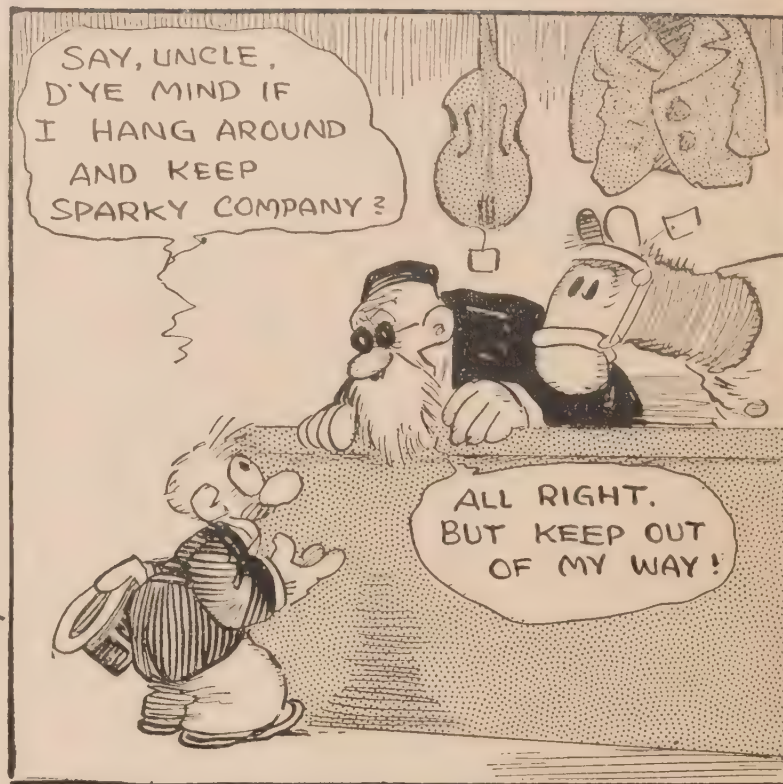
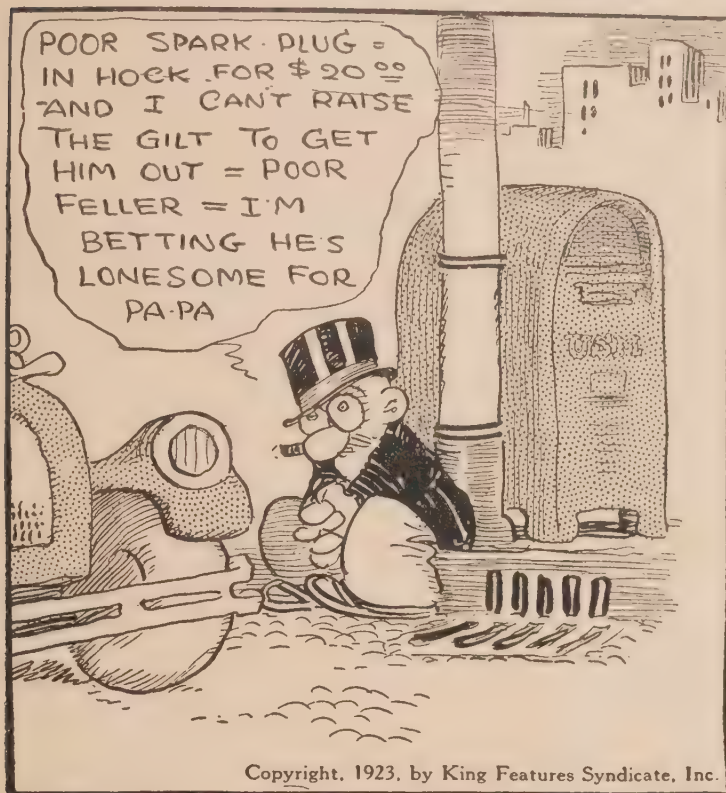
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— RACING —  
**SATURDAY  
 MAY 12**  
 SEASON'S BIGGEST  
 ATTRACTION  
 THE  
**6<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>  
 DERBY**  
**\$ 20,000<sup>00</sup>**  
PURSE

**OH MY!!**

MAY TWELVTH  
 THE BIG DAY !!!  
 I GOTTA GET  
 SPARK PLUG = I  
 GOTTA = I GOTTA !!!  
 HE'LL BE A BUM IF  
 HE STAYS IN HOCK  
 ANOTHER DAY !!

SAY, UNK, D'YE MIND  
 IF I BORROW SPARKY  
 FOR A SPELL = I  
 WANT TO GET HIM  
 IN SHAPE FOR THE  
 6<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub> DERBY = I'M  
 AFRAID HE'LL GET  
 STIFF COOPED UP  
 IN HERE

NO - YOU  
 C'ANT TAKE OUT  
 THIS ANIMAL  
 TILL YOU PAY  
 ME \$20<sup>00</sup>

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THE  
 BIG  
 BUM

SAY —  
 HOW ABOUT  
 KEEPING ME  
 AS SECURITY  
 ON MY  
 PROPOSITION  
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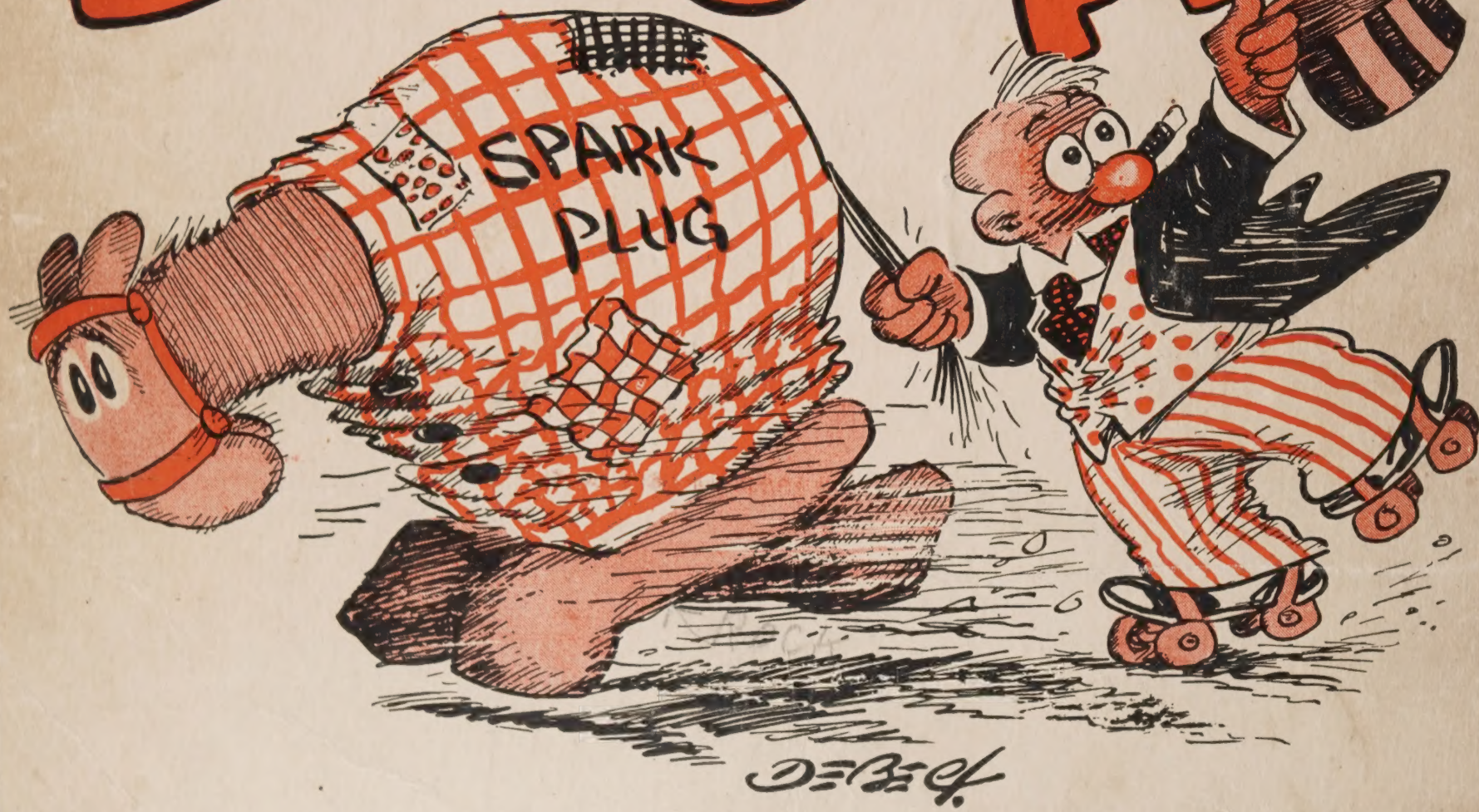


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# SPARK PLUG



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